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CRONIN—Reported missing on June 7, 1917, now known to have been killed in action on that date, RICHARD P. CRONIN, Sherwood Foresters, youngest son of Mr. Richard Cronin, of 40 Lansdowne road, Dublin, aged 24 years. R.I.P.

GILLESPIE—October 1, 1917, died of wounds received in action, VICTOR ALLAN, aged 27, youngest son of Joseph Gillespie, Annahilt, Hillsborough, and the late Mrs. Gillespie, Carney, Sligo, and beloved brother of Daisy Gorman, Achonry House, Ballymote. "Until the shadows flee away."

MAXWELL—October 1, 1917, of wounds received in action on September 28, Major POWER MACMURROUGH MAXWELL, M.C., R.F.A., aged 25, younger son of the late Colonel R. J. Maxwell, and of Mrs. Maxwell, Hampton Court Palace.

O'DONNELL—September 28, 1917, killed in action, in his 27th year, Private THOMAS H. O'DONNELL, South Australian Infantry, son of T. H. O'Donnell, Manager National Bank, Carlow.

ROBERTSON—October 4, 1917, killed in action, Captain CLEMENT ROBERTSON, Tank Corps, fourth son of Major and Mrs. Robertson, Honan Hill, Delgany, aged 27.

IN MEMORIAM.

CONNOR—First Anniversary—In loving memory of Sergeant J. CONNOR, R.D. Fusiliers (D.C.M., and mentioned in despatches), died from wounds received in action at Salonika, 10th October, 1916. R.I.P.

Far away in a distant land,
Suddenly struck by death's strong hand.
A brother dear, a hero brave,
Lies buried in a soldier's grave.

Inserted by his loving brother, Sergeant W. CONNOR, R.D. Fusiliers.

BIRTHS.

BURTON—October 6, 1917, at 18 Percival road, Clifton, Bristol, the wife of W. MAINWARING BURTON, a daughter.

COADY—October 8, 1917, at Infirmary House, Kildare, the wife of E. T. COADY, F.R.C.S., of a son.

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STENSON—October 6, 1917, at 5 Mount street Crescent, the wife of Commander F. J. STENSON, M.D., R.N.R., 25 Anglesea road, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

COONEY AND BRESLIN—October 3, 1917, by special licence, at Rathfarnham Parish Church, by the Reverend A. E. Hughes, Rector, Captain WM. P. COONEY, R.A.M.C., second son of Walker Wm. Cooney, formerly of Mountain View, Blessington, to CLARE MARY, eldest daughter of the late JOHN BRESLIN, Abbey View, Kildare.

HAUGHTON AND PEDLOW—October 2, 1917, at Friends' Meeting House, Churchtown, JOSEPH WATSON, second son of WILLIAM HAUGHTON, Coolfore, Ferns, Co. Wexford, to ANNA CHRISTIE (NANNIE), only daughter of DAVID PEDLOW, Briarly, Dundrum, Co. Dublin.

MULCAHY AND NOLAN—October 1, 1917, at St. Joseph's, Berkeley street, by the Rev. J. Dempsey, C.C., M.A., RICHARD MULCAHY, 20 Thomas street, to KATIE NOLAN, 6 Kenmare Parade, Dublin.

O'CONNELL AND BOLTON—October 2, 1917, at St Barnabas' Church, East Molesey, by the Rev. Fr. M'Elroy Rickard, JOSEPH, eldest son of MAURICE O'CONNELL, The Spa, Tralee, Co. Kerry, to GRACE, eldest daughter of GEORGE BOLTON, Oakley, Kent road, East Molesey.

ROBERTS AND LIDDLE—September 28, 1917, at St. Oswald's Church, York, by special licence, Sergeant WILLIAM J. ROBERTS (Medaille Militaire), Royal Irish Lancers, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, 86 Grosvenor square, Rathmines, to GERTRUDE EVELIN, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Liddle, Fulford, York.

ROLES AND JOHNSON—October 3, 1917, at Clonbullogue Parish Church, by Rev. W. P. Connolly, CYPRIAN FREDERICK RICKWOOD, son of the late FRANCIS ROLES, of London, to EMILY, elder daughter of the late ALFRED JOHNSON, Ballypark House, Ballintogher, Monasterevan.

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DEATHS.

ALFORD—October 8, 1917, at her residence, Ballinacarrig, JANIE, wife of JOSEPH ALFORD. Funeral to-morrow (Thursday), 11 o'clock.

GRICE—October 8, 1917, JOHN T. GRICE, aged 75, late employé of B. and I. and Palgrave Murphy S.S. Cos., and brother of the late George Grice, Assistant Town Clerk. "Peace, perfect peace." Funeral from his residence, 235 Richmond road, to-morrow (Thursday) morning, 11 o'clock.

HATTON—At his residence, Ballytiglea, Borris, RICHARD HATTON, second son of the late William Hatton. Deeply regretted.

KOE—October 6, 1917, at Carraghbawn, Nenagh, JOHN HESKETH PEMBERTON KOE, of The Lodge, Nenagh, in his 86th year.

MURTAGH—October 9, 1917, at 8 Fitzwilliam terrace, Dartry road, THOMAS EDWARD, son of the late STEPHEN MURTAGH, Abbey street. R.I.P. Funeral private.

PARKER—October 9, 1917, at his residence, St. Stephen's, Strand, Limerick, ROBERT PARKER, youngest son of the late James Parker, Limerick, aged 66 years.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

MR. EDWARD GIBSON desires to return thanks for the many kind expressions of sympathy on the death of his brother, Dr. W. J. GIBSON. He regrets he is unable to reply individually to the numerous communications received, and trusts that all friends will accept this acknowledgment.

The family of the late MR. CHARLES GEORGE HUGHES, 25 Townsend street, desire to return sincere thanks for the many tokens of sympathy received by them in their recent sad bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM.

CAIN—In affectionate remembrance of my dear husband, HENRY CAIN, who entered into rest on October 10th, 1916, at his residence, Sunnymount, Navan.

Then, when on earth I breathe no more
The prayer, oft mixed with tears before,
I'll sing upon a happier shore
"Thy will be done!"

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LEGAL NOTICES.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS. In the Goods of JAMES EDWARD FAWCETT, late of No. 55 Brighton road, in the County of Dublin, Gentleman, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors, or otherwise to have any claims or demands against the Assets of said James Edward Fawcett, who died on the 29th day of June, 1917, are hereby required, on or before the 10th day of November, 1917, to furnish particulars (in writing) of such claims to the undersigned Solicitor for John E. Tomlinson, of Sunning Hill, Glenageary, Co. Dublin, and Alfred E. Walker, of Surrey House, Leinster road, Co. Dublin, the Executors of said Deceased, and to whom Probate of his Will and Codicils was granted forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice in Ireland, King's Bench Division (Probate), on the 2nd day of October, 1917. And Notice is hereby given that after the said 10th day of November, 1917, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims of which notice and particulars shall have been so given.

Dated this 9th day of October, 1917.

ALFRED E. WALKER, Solicitor for said Executors, 11 Westmoreland street, Dublin.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS. SUSAN MARY BYRNE, formerly of 51 North Great George's street, but late of Hampton, Drumcondra, both in the City of Dublin, Widow, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 54, Sec. 19, that the said Susan Mary Byrne, by her Will dated 25th March, 1902, and five Codicils thereto, gave to the Reverend Joseph Murray £25 for Masses; to her Executors £25 for Masses; £200 to be applied by them for Masses, to be distributed as follows:—The Guardian or Superior of the Capuchin Fathers of Church street, Dublin, £30; the Provincial of the Jesuits, Gardiner street, Dublin, £30; the Provincial of the Mount Melleray, £30; the Provincial of the Carmelite Fathers, Clarendon street, Dublin, £30; the Parish Priest of Avoca, County Wicklow, £20; the Parish Priest of Donnybrook, County Dublin, £20; the Parish Priest of Blackrock, County Dublin, £20; the Parish Priest of Glasthule, County Dublin, £10. Testatrix directed all said Masses to be celebrated in public in some church or churches in Ireland, for the repose of the soul of Testatrix and her late husband, and their respective deceased parents and relatives. Testatrix bequeathed the following legacies for the charitable purposes in Ireland of the following Communities or Institutions, all of which are situate in the City or County of Dublin, viz.:—To the Superioress of the Irish Sisters of Charity, £40; to the Superioress at her death of St. Vincent's Hospital, Dublin, £30; to the Superioress at her death of the Hospice for the Dying, Harold's Cross, £40; to the Treasurer at her death of the Hospital for Incurables, Donnybrook, £30; to the Superioress at her death of the Poor Clares, Harold's Cross, £20; to the Superioress at her death of the Convalescent Home, Linden, £20; to the Superioress at her death of the Sisters of Charity, Upper Gardiner street, £20.

By a second Codicil of 14th November, 1902, she directed her Executors, if Testatrix did not give £50 in her lifetime, to give a sum of £50 to the building of a Roman Catholic Church at Drumcondra, Dublin, and bequeathed £536 10s. 0d. New Consols to All Hallows' College the sum of £536 10s. 0d. New Consols for or towards the founding of a Bourse at that College, and in view of this Testatrix revoked the bequest of £500 in her said Will, and appointed by her Will Martha Mary Dolan, Joseph F. Cuffe, and James Joseph Dolan her Executors. The Testatrix died on the 23rd August, 1917, and on the 21st September, 1917, Probate of said Will was granted to said James Joseph Dolan forth of the Principal Registry of the King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Ireland.

If Testatrix did not in her lifetime give the sum of £50 towards the building of the new Roman Catholic Church at Drumcondra, Dublin, which was then about being built, she directed her Executors to make that payment after her death.

Dated 8th October, 1917.

MAXWELL, WELDON, and CO., Solicitors for said Executors, 40 North Great George's street, Dublin.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests for Ireland, and to others whom it may concern.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS. In the Goods of MARCUS TERTIUS MOSES, late of Kilbride Tower, Bray, in the County of Wicklow, Esquire, Justice of the Peace, F.R.G.S., Retired Merchant, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., cap. 54, that the said Marcus Tertius Moses made his Will, dated the 20th October, 1915, whereby, after bequeathing certain legacies and directing certain payments, he gave the residue of the proceeds of the sale of his real and personal estate to his Trustees upon trust, as to 19 per cent. thereof, to divide the same absolutely between the following Religious Societies and Charities in the proportions thereinafter mentioned, namely:—

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And the Testator by his said Will declared that on the happening of certain events the Trustees should hold the shares in the said Trust Estate bequeathed to certain persons therein mentioned, in trust to divide the same between the before-mentioned Religious Societies and Charities in the proportions aforesaid, and in case any of the said institutions should at that time have ceased to exist, then, in trust as to the share thereof in the said Trust premises for such of the Religious Societies and Charities then existing, as the Trustees in their discretion think fit. And the Testator appointed his daughter, Mrs. Amy Gwendolen Kennedy, and William Kennedy, Esq., M.A., F.T.C.D., both of 6 Herbert street, Dublin, and the Corporation of the Royal Exchange Assurance (therein called "the Trustees"), Trustees and Executors of said Will, and also appointed the Reverend William James Mayne, M.A., of 48 Kildare street, Dublin, as an additional Executor. And the said Testator died on the 23rd day of June, 1917, without having altered or revoked the said Will, and Probate thereof was granted by the Principal Registry, King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Ireland, on the 20th day of August, 1917, to the said Amy Gwendolen Kennedy, William Kennedy, and William James Mayne.

Dated this 9th day of October, 1917.

WILLIAM FRY and SONS, Solicitors for said Executors and Trustees, 14 Lower Mount street, Dublin.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests, and all whom it may concern.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS. In the Goods of JAMES EDWARD FAWCETT, late of No. 55 Brighton road, in the County of Dublin, Gentleman, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30th and 31st Vic., cap. 54, Sec. 19, that the said James Edward Fawcett, by his Will, dated the 21st May, 1917, and Codicils dated respectively the 22nd and 23rd June, 1917 (subject to the payment of a legacy of £3,000 payable in priority to all other legacies thereby given), bequeathed the sum of £25 to the Treasurer of Doctor Barnardo's Homes in or near London, for the benefit of the said Homes; and also the sum of £25 to the Treasurer of the Royal Zoological Society of Ireland for the benefit of the Zoological Gardens, Phoenix Park. The Testator appointed John E. Tomlinson, of Sunning Hill, Glenageary, County Dublin, and Alfred E. Walker, of Surrey House, Leinster road, County Dublin, Executors of said Will and Codicils, and died on the 29th June, 1917. Probate of the said Will and Codicils was duly granted to the said Executors, forth of the Principal Probate Registry in Ireland, on the 2nd day of October, 1917.

Dated this 9th day of October, 1917.

ALFRED E. WALKER, Solicitor for said Executors, 11 Westmoreland street, Dublin.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests, and all whom it may concern.

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HOME offered to Protestant Lady of very quiet habits in return for taking charge of invalid lady's house and servants; must be good tempered and economical; strict teetotaller.—F 892, this office.

HOSIERY and Outfitting—Wanted, Junior Salesman, Protestant. Apply, stating experience and salary (indoor), city, F 966, this office. E

HARDWARE—Wanted, smart Salesman, Protestant, capable of taking charge; country town; state salary (indoor) and references. Address "Z 4485, Salesman," this office.

INSURANCE Branch Office in Dublin requires Clerk, with some experience; must be competent in shorthand and typewriting; state age, experience, and salary expected; permanent position, with good prospects.—F 951, this office. E

IRISH Nurses' Pay and Prospects—See the Women's Work Department of the "Weekly Irish Times." Price three halfpence, to-day. F

LADY Housekeeper Wanted, country, one gentleman, Co. Kildare; small dairy, poultry.—F 866, this office. O

LADIES' Outfitting—Newell's, Ltd., Newry, require young Lady, take charge Warrenpoint Branch (Millinery excepted); must be capable saleswoman, smart window dresser, good stockkeeper. Send reference and state salary expected (indoor). O

LADY Companion, Assistant, good walker and musical, age 30 to 35, Wanted for Private Asylum. Apply, with references and photo, to Lady Supt., New Saughton Hall, Polton, Midlothian.

LADY Shorthand Typist Wanted immediately, in Dublin Merchant's Office; applicants should state experience, salary, etc., and enclose copies of testimonials.—F 873, this office. D

LADY Bookkeeper for London Hotel; must be very quick and accurate at figures. Meet Lady, 3 o'clock, Irish Times Registry Office, Wednesday, 10th inst.

LAUNDRY Manager Wanted immediately, country town, good neighbourhood; state experience, references, salary.—F 867, this office. E

LADIES' Tailoring—Coatmakers and Improvers Wanted immediately.—Gibson, 141 Lower Baggot st.

MANAGERESS—Wanted, experienced Lady for Ladies' Outfitting establishment in the South; must be accustomed to control staff, and character must bear strict investigation. Address "Z 4361, Manageress," this office. C

MESSENGER Boy Wanted, 6/- weekly. Call, with references, 33 Castlewood avenue, Rathmines. D

MAN required to Manage Bar, city; outdoor; enclose references.—F 986, this office. C

PROTESTANT Lady Help Wanted, country town; salary £14; references. Address "Z 4316, Help," this office. C

PRINTING—Machine Minder; permanency; wages 50/-. Apply Joseph Wones, West Bromwich, England. O

PRINTER'S Machineman Wanted; permanency for steady, competent Man; state if able to do ruling; repairs. Apply, stating terms and references, to "Z 4435, Printer," this office.

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ROBERTSON Bros., 27/28 Quay, Waterford, require at once an experienced Cutter for their Tailoring Dept. (Gentlemen and Ladies); state experience and salary. C

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Wires—"Sewell's, Dublin." Telephone—674.

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TUAM OCTOBER FAIRS, 1917. TUESDAY, 16th—SHEEP. WEDNESDAY, 17th—CATTLE. THURSDAY, 18th—HORSES. FRIDAY, 19th—PIGS. Certain to be the largest Fairs held in Tuam for years. Best description of stock. P. CANAVAN, Town Clerk.

SITUATIONS CONTINUED.

SALES—Wanted, South, experienced Saleswoman for Children's Outfitting; also one for Hosiery, Blouses, Underclothing; salary (outdoor), reference, experience. Address "Z 4379, Saleswoman," this office.

S. MARY, Shandon, Cork—Organist and Choirmaster required. Apply, stating qualifications, Dr. Jourdan, Rectory, Sunday's Well, Cork.

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SMART Useful Help, to do all work small house, town; family two; must be good cook.—... this office.

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TWO smart, well educated Girls leaving school required by first class city house to learn various branches of Retail Fancy Drapery; salary 5/- weekly and commission to commence. Apply, stating full particulars, to F 889, this office. E

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WANTED, Boy for City Office; must be smart and intelligent. Apply, stating wages expected.—F 603, this office. C

WANTED, smart, reliable Man as Yard Foreman in City Distillery; must be well recommended. Send copies of discharges, etc., and state wages expected, F 581, this office. O

WANTED, Useful Help, Gentlewoman, for provincial town, part care of invalid and some housework.—F 815, this office. D

WANTED, Useful Help for garden and house. Call, between 2 and 6, 10 Gilford road, Sandymount.

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WANTED, Housekeeper Cook (Lady), to take entire charge of small household; must be good cook. Send copies discharges, state terms to "Housekeeper," c/o Eason and Son, Dawson st., Dublin.

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WANTED, smart Assistant for Hardware and Grocery; Protestant; state salary (indoor) and enclose references. Address "Z 4484, Assistant," this office. E

WANTED, experienced Window Cleaners; constant employment. Apply Central Window Cleaning, D'Olier st.

WANTED, Junior Shorthand Typist, capable of keeping small accounts; state lowest salary, copies references.—F 1026, this office.

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WANTED, a Lady for Hosiery Department; also a Man for Dresses and Calico Department; state experience, salary, and send copy reference; state religion. Address "Z 4507, Hosiery," this office. E

WANTED, young Protestant Lady four afternoons, 3 till 6 o'clock, take two children walking, aged 7 and 9 years.—R O 257, Irish Times Office, Rathmines.

WANTED, a young Housekeeper, experienced, for Private Hotel, with good knowledge of cooking; two maids kept; wages £20.—F 1029, this office.

REPRESENTATIVES WANTED.

AGENTS Wanted to Sell Profitable Goods of every kind; Catalogue free.—May (196), George st., Birmingham. T

TRAVELLER Wanted by Firm of Fine Art Dealers in Scotland to represent them in Etching and Water Colour Department; one with general knowledge of the trade preferred; would require to be beyond military age or ineligible for Army. Address "Traveller," William Porteous and Co., Advertising Agents, Glasgow. D

WINE Agency—Wanted immediately, a competent, experienced Agent to take over the Management of a well established Wine Agency in the City of Dublin. Reply F 995, this office.

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CITY Chemist disengaged; splendid experience as Manager, good dispenser and counter hand; highest recommendations.—F 890, this office.

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IMPROVER, 3 years' experience, desires situation in city Pharmacy; excellent testimonials; state salary (indoor). Address "Z 4424, Chemist," this office.

PHARMACEUTICAL Chemist seeks position, city, permanent or part time; excellent experience; highest qualifications.—F 896, this office.

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PHARMACEUTICAL Apprentice required immediately, Male. Apply, stating age, religion, and height (splendid opportunity of learning business) to Adamson and Co., Chemists, Enniskillen.

QUALIFIED Chemist Wanted, manage country Medical Hall; Catholic; state terms, outdoor. Address "Z 4345, Chemist," this office. C

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EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

AS Nurse Attendant with kind homely people, light housework; very useful; Protestant.—F 763, this office. E

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DAIMLER 1 Ton Lorry for Sale; twin solids rear and pneumatic front, perfect order, any trial; price £95.—Gardiner and Dilger, 14 Haddington road, Dublin. C

WANTED, Motor Lorry to carry 25 to 30 cwt., or a Ford to carry 1 ton might suit; must be in first class order, and to run on paraffin. Address "Z 4365, Lorry," this office. O

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A GENT.'S 3 Speed Raleigh, equal new, £7 15/-.—Reynolds, 110 Upper Leeson st., Dublin. F

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GREAT End of Season Cycle Sale—Rovers, Astons; cash or easy payments. Place your order now, as, apart from the scarcity of cycles, next year prices will be doubled. Full particulars from Stevens' Cycle Depot, 8 Aston's quay, Dublin. A

GENT'S Bicycle for Sale. Seen at 277 N.C.R.

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LADY'S Cycle, 24 inch frame, slightly used, reduced.—Conway's, 24 George's st. F

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TRICYCLE Carrier, Secondhand, for Sale; large basket, good tyres.—Conway's, George's st.

WANTED.

LADIES' and Gents' Cycles Wanted, Secondhand; cash.—Price Brothers, Chatham st., Dublin. D

CHAUFFEURS, MECHANICS.

WANTED.

CHAUFFEUR Wanted immediately (Protestant), Hupmobile Car; one accustomed to horses preferred; send copies, references, salary expected. Address "Z 4409, Chauffeur," this office. E

GROOM Chauffeur Wanted immediately; married preferred; full particulars.—Leahy, Woodfort, Mallow, Co. Cork. D

DISENGAGED.

CHAUFFEUR Mechanic seeks employment; experienced; T.T. Address "Z 4324, Chauffeur," this office. E

CHAUFFEUR Gardener—Reliable, steady married Man, drive any car, do all running repairs, understands gardening thoroughly, open for engagement at any moment. Address "Z 4287, Chauffeur," this office. O

CHAUFFEURS CONTINUED. DISENGAGED.

CHAUFFEUR; experienced; useful and obliging; road repairs; strict T.T.—F 958, this office.

CHAUFFEUR, eleven years with a city doctor as Coachman and Chauffeur; age 45. Address "Z 4461, Chauffeur," this office.

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CHAUFFEUR, disengaged, seeks employment, single, T.A., over 2 years experience, first class certificate, drive any car, all running repairs, useful about machinery, willing and obliging. Address "Z 3278, Chauffeur," this office.

GROOM Chauffeur, married, shortly disengaged; seven years present employer; any car; Ireland or England; state terms.—Driver, Morristown Lattin, Naas. D

EMPLOYMENT CONTINUED (FROM PAGE 1).

CLERK, three years' experience bookkeeping, typewriting, general office routine; T.T.; good references; willing to assist at counter; indoor (city preferred).—F 691, this office.

CERTIFICATED Nurse and Masseuse requires engagement, invalid; Dublin or suburbs.—11 Leo st. D

DRESSMAKER wants Work, at own or lady's house. Costumes Turned, Blouses, Skirts.—832, Irish Times Office, Ranelagh.

DRAPERY Sale—Young Lady is anxious to secure a Junior position in Hosiery or Haberdashery Department; good appearance and address. Apply Miss Heatly, Somerton, Bray. D

GIRL, after serving her time to the Confectionery and Tea Rooms in country town, would go as Improver in the city.—F 632, this office. O

GROCERIES and Provisions—Young Man, experienced, wishes to hear of vacancy; excellent references. Address "Z 4460, Assistant," this office. E

RAILWAY Clerk, good knowledge of Typewriting, leaving College, and Shorthand (80), desires position.—W. Cullen, this office.

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SEWING—Lady desires post, Companion Help or Nursery Governess; musical; good references.—F 943, this office.

SUPERIOR Companion, hospital and private experience; domesticated; good references; salary according to duties.

TYPIST; 640, this office.

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RESPECTABLE Farmer's Daughter, never out before, go Companion to elderly lady, or quiet country place, where no other servant kept; comfortable home more object than salary. Address "Z 4418, Companion," this office.

RESPECTABLE educated Person, assist house duties, in return for home.—F 940, this office.

RESPECTABLE young Man wishes an opening in either Music or Book Shop; would work 10/- a week.—F 952, this office.

RESPECTABLE young Woman Nurse, invalid; highly recommended.—Nurse, 34 Dodder View, Ballsbridge.

SUPERIOR Girl (22), I.C., seeks position as Nurse Attendant to Invalid; would go as Companion or Useful Help; 15 months' nursing experience; salary £16 and laundry.—F. E. H., Irish Times Office, Cork. O

SMART Girl, Shorthand Typist; 10/- a week; excellent references.—F 835, this office.

STEADY Man requires situation as Yardman and Storekeeper in business place; can be well recommended; disengaged on 20th inst. Address "Z 4459, Employment," this office.

THOROUGHLY experienced Nurse, disengaged, chronic, mental, or invalid; moderate salary.—F 623, this office. D

USEFUL Lady Help, I.C., desires post; experienced cooking, housework, etc.; highest references; moderate salary. Address "Z 4508, Help," this office.

WANTED, situation as Lady Housekeeper or Matron.—F 614, this office.

WANTED, by young Gentlewoman, I.C., post as Lady Help in small family; good plain cook; experienced; strong; energetic; good references; salary £24; Dublin or vicinity. Apply "Z 4318, Help," this office. O

WELL educated Youth desires Evening Employment; disengaged from 4.30.—F 851, this office.

WANTED, by Trained Nurse, care invalid or delicate girl, own home, country. Address "Z 4447, Nurse," this office. E

WANTED by a young Girl, a situation as Provision Assistant in a good business house; excellent references; please state wages. Address "Z 4488, Assistant," this office.

YOUNG Lady desires post as Waitress, some experience, in private house; highest reference.—F 605, this office. O

YOUNG Lady, of good appearance, wishes to hear of a vacancy to the Tobacco, Fancies, etc.; good experience, references.—F 673, this office. C

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YOUNG Man, aged 22, is anxious to learn some trade or business; moderate fee.—F 905, this office.

YOUNG Girl wishes situation, Junior Clerk; slight knowledge shorthand and typewriting.—F 908, this office.

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YOUNG Man desires situation in Dublin as Assistant in Tweed Department (Wholesale), indoor or outdoor. Address "Z 4480, Man," this office. F

£20 CASH security—Intelligent Man seeks position, any capacity; particulars. Address "Z 4426, Man," this office. E

MALES WANTED.

GAMEKEEPER Wanted (married), Protestant, single-handed, small or no family; good rabbit trapper; state age, wages expected, copies of testimonials; house, milk, firing, etc. Address "Z 4465, Gamekeeper," this office. E

GENERAL Man Wanted for Gate Lodge, Dundrum; married, no family; milk, garden, mind pony and trap; £1 weekly, quart milk daily (no firing or potatoes). Apply, stating full particulars.—F 907, this office.

GROOM Wanted, young, active, married, who can care thoroughbred sire, break young horses, ride well, and make himself generally useful; with one or two sons preferred; state wages expected, free house, firing, etc.; send copies of discharges.—Rourke, Ballintubber, Killala. E

MAN Wanted, Dig Potatoes, Prepare Ground; must produce papers; 24/-.—Brookfield, Milltown.

MAN Wanted, General; free house, coal, £1 weekly.—Atkin's Agency, 67 Capel st.

WANTED, Groom Coachman; must be able to train young horses, good rider; married; single handed place. State age, wages expected, number in family, and weight and height. Address "Z 4380, Groom," this office. O

WANTED, a respectable, quiet Boy, Protestant, as Hall Boy under a Butler. Apply in writing to Mrs. Barton, Straffan House, Straffan, Co. Kildare.

WANTED, a young Man to Milk and Deliver. Apply Whelan, Willow Lodge, Park avenue, Sandymount.

WANTED, Married Couple, no incumbrance, strict T.T.'s, for quiet country place; Man Groom Gardener, Wife Cook General. Address "Z 4445, Couple," this office.

WANTED, Handyman about Demesne, Protestant; pensioner preferred; live in lodge. Post copy papers, stating age, number in family, and wages to Heard, Estate Office, 15 South Mall, Cork.

WANTED, Yard and General Man, married, no children. Apply, giving age, wages, references, Captain Dunne, Black Hall, Ballina.

WANTED, General Man, good knowledge cattle, sick-ness, etc., care grazing stock; must be single. Address "Z 4501, Man," this office.

WANTED, Groom or General Man; mind horse and trap, understand motor running repairs, make himself useful; state particulars, wages required, and if married; copies references. Address "Z 4496, Groom," this office.

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STEWARDS AND GARDENERS WANTED.

GARDENERS and Stewards—We keep a Register of those seeking employment, and we are always able to recommend highly respectable and thoroughly practical men. Particulars free.—Joseph Orr and Sons, Seedsmen, Belfast.

GARDENER—Wanted, County Dublin, active Man, required do all garden work, care and milk cow; remuneration 20/- weekly, house, coal; send copies discharges, stating age. Address "Z 4395, Gardener," this office.

STEWARD, experienced, Wanted for Co. Wexford; salary £100 per annum, partly furnished house, and commission on profits; state age, family, recommendations; Wexford.—C/o Messrs. Hogg and Robertson, Mary st., Dublin. D

STEWARD, experienced, Wanted for Co. Tipperary; married, no children. Apply, with full particulars, to Captain Morel, Templemore.

WANTED, Working Steward for Westmeath; must understand tillage; unmarried preferred.—"Z 4383, Steward," this office.

WANTED, Working Gardener, Co. Galway, discharges, age, religion, wages to Athy, Beauville, Craughwell.

WANTED, Working Steward, for County Wexford, near New Ross; middle aged, with Wife to manage dairy and poultry, no children. Address "Z 4412, Steward," this office.

WANTED, Working Steward, Protestant, small sheep farm and some tillage, North of Ireland; send papers and terms. Address "Z 4471, Steward," this office.

MALES CONTINUED.

WANTED, Working Steward, accustomed to cattle and tillage; must be an active man; brothers could also get work. Post copy papers to H. Heard, 15 South Mall, Cork. E

WORKING Steward Wanted; keep men's time, accounts, etc.—Atkin's Agency, 67 Capel st.

MALES DISENGAGED.

ACTIVE married Man (no encumbrance) wishes situation, Yardman, Caretaker, etc.; handy all work; wife help house, care poultry, or laundry; both good milkers; excellent discharges. Address "Z 4470, Man," this office.

BUTLER, Roman Catholic, 34, single; expects £40 to £45.—Rea's Office, Armagh.

CHEF, first class, wishes re-engagement. Apply C. Fauvin, 10 Hollybank road, Drumcondra. E

DISENGAGED, first rate Groom, single, teetotaller; train young horses, school, etc.; highly recommended.—Wild's Agency, Marlfield, Clonmel.

DISENGAGED, Couple; Wife good plain cook, dairy, woman, laundress; Man good all round outdoor man, drive, plain gardening, farm, etc.—Hawker's Agency, Limerick.

FOOTMAN, experienced, wishes re-engagement; well recommended. Address Footman, Gosford Castle, Markethill, Co. Armagh.

GROOM General wishes a place, married; ride and drive, can milk, and make himself generally useful; well recommended.—J. Ryan, Burke's Hill, Birr, King's Co.

GROOM Coachman; single; Protestant; experienced driver, and understands hunters.—R., 54 Dawson street, Dublin.

GROOM Coachman, married, R.C., four years last place; drive double and single harness, drive motor; willing to be generally useful; excellent references; state terms. Address "Z 4414, Groom," this office.

GROOM or Coachman, generally useful; wants situation, single, R.C.; T.T.; excellent discharges. Address "Z 4478, Groom," this office.

GROOM General wishes a place; married; ride and drive, milk, plain gardening; well recommended.—R.C., T.T.—F 405, this office.

HOTEL—Two experienced Porters seek situations (together or separately), night or day; satisfactory English and Scottish experience. Address Box No. 355, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast.

HERD Yardman, married; both excellent milkers; state terms. Address "Z 4388, Herd," this office. D

HERD seeks situation; understands his business in all its branches; has long and satisfactory discharges; can be highly recommended. Apply R. M., Harold's Grange, Rathfarnham, Co. Dublin.

HERD and Shepherd seeks situation; butcher and castrate. State terms to Herd, Riverdale, Kilcullen.

LADY wishes to recommend smart, respectable Boy; R.C.; can wait table, valet, care silver; willing to be generally useful; would quite motor or pony and trap. Address "Z 4457, Boy," this office.

MALE Attendant, to invalid or delicate gentleman; well recommended. Address "Z 4462, Attendant," this office.

PROTESTANT Married Man, no family, act as Caretaker and Plain Gardener; well recommended. Address F. MacNulty, Grange Bellew, Dunleer, Co. Louth.

PLOUGHMAN, Carter, and General Man wishes a situation; R.C.; County Dublin preferred.—F 852, this office. E

RABBIT Trapper wants permanency or long job; excellent references. Address "Z 4497, Trapper," this office.

WANTED, a situation as Coachman, drive double and single harness, knows the city, milk if required; middle age; highly recommended.—J. R., Sinnott's Mill, Castlebridge, Co. Wexford.

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS DISENGAGED.

ESTATE Steward, Protestant, age 47, disengaged November 20th; thoroughly experienced land, stock, forestry, architecture, and all estate engineering; terms, £100, with usual perquisites. Address "Z 4449, Steward," this office.

GARDENER General Man, experienced, 36; good milker, understands care of cattle.—F 879, this office. E

GARDENER, disengaged on the 20th, seeks situation, having good knowledge of in and outdoor plants, including vines, peaches, melons, etc.; good vegetable grower; Protestant, married, one child; highly recommended.—"Gardener," Irish Times Office, Cork.

GARDENER and General Man wants situation; wife excellent laundress or dairymaid; both good milkers.—D., Mungret Post Office, Co. Limerick.

GARDENER; good vegetable grower, fruit and flowers; good milker; general handy, settled man; single; highest reference.—J. T., Dickson, 61 Dawson st.

GARDENER, Working, single; well up all branches; highly recommended.—Barron, Ballyculane, Ballynoe, Tallow, Co. Waterford.

GARDENER (Head Working) open to engagement; thoroughly practical in all branches; Protestant; married, three children. Address Gardener, c/o Mr. Kinch, Cathedral square, Waterford.

HEAD Working Gardener disengaged, thoroughly competent; highly recommended.—Soden, Bray road, Cabinteely. D

LAND Steward, thoroughly capable in all respects; Protestant, strict T.T.; best references.—F., Aberfoyle, Wicklow.

WANTED, position as Foreman, inside and out; good knowledge of duties and good references.—J. S., Bessborough Gardens, Piltown.

WORKING Steward seeks situation; young; married; good knowledge of machinery and tillage; long and excellent discharges; can be well recommended. Apply, with terms, "Z 4406, Steward," this office.

YOUTH seeks work in garden; highly recommended.—R. O 255, Irish Times Office, Rathmines.

DOMESTICS WANTED.

MATRON, "Irish Times," has Vacancies for all classes of Servants at good wages; also for young Girls wishing to be trained. Registry Office free to Servants on insertion of Advertisement. No fee. Apply immediately to the REGISTRY OFFICE, 31 WESTMORELAND STREET.

AT 10 DUKE STREET—Good situations for High Class Cooks, Cook-Generals, Parlourmaids, H. and P'maids, Between Maids.—MISS McCAUL'S AGENCY.

BETWEEN Maid Wanted, young. Apply 40 Upper Fitzwilliam st.

CAN Lady recommend a respectable Charwoman.—F 810, this office.

COOKS, Cook-Generals, Generals, Parlourmaids, Housemaids, Housemaid Waitresses; good wages.—Registry, Trevelyan st., Eccles, Manchester.

COOK General, House Parlourmaid, for England.—Matron, 3 Upper Baggot st.

GOOD General for Cheshire; also Between Maid, £16. Keegan's, Upper George's st., Kingstown.

QUIET Country Maid Attendant, Protestant, Wanted about 25, for elderly invalid lady; sleep in room; light house duty.—F 893, this office.

GOOD young Dressmaker Wanted, train housework; references; £12, rising.—F 978, this office.

STILLROOM Maid Second Wanted; must be thoroughly experienced. Apply, with copies of references, to Royal Hibernian Hotel, Dawson st.

WANTED, Working Housekeeper (Protestant) for Business House in North-west town; state age and experience. Address "Z 4366, Housekeeper," this office.

WANTED, young, strong Protestant Girl to train; comfortable home; recommended.—F 792, this office.

WANTED, 1st November, for St. Columba's College, experienced Maid (Protestant), to take charge of Sewingroom; must be able to wait in dining hall; sewing, packing essential; wages £18. Apply, with references, to Mrs. Abbott.

WANTED, near Blessington, country Girl to milk, wash, plain cooking, family of two, state age, wages, copies references. Address "Z 4441, Girl," this office.

WANTED, first rate experienced Useful Lady's Maid, dressmaker, housework.—Wild's Agency, Marlfield, Clonmel.

WANTED, Woman, three days weekly, Rathgar.—F 948, this office.

WANTED, Old Age Pensioner, who has been Cook, and could wish comfortable home in return for light duties; good record; general kept, also a man. Address "Z 4481, Pensioner," this office.

WANTED immediately, steady Person, Protestant, General Help might suit; good plain cooking; suburbs.—F 1027, this office.

WANTED well recommended Girl, help housework, daily, 8.30 to 12.30; 10/- monthly.—Lyndhurst, Glenageary.

COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS WANTED.

A GOOD Cook Wanted, young, very small family; highly recommended; wages £22 and 10/- board; required end of month; copies or no notice.—F 811, this office.

A STRONG, reliable Woman Wanted to Cook in first class business house, city; must have good experience of same.—F 839, this office.

DOMESTICS CONTINUED.

A COOK, Dublin, £30; do., £26; country, £25, £30; also London.—68 Sackville st.

COOK General and Housemaid Waitress or good General, willing to take position of Cook in future, if required; two in family; good wages. Full particulars, with references, to Mrs. Walker, "The Hordens," Chapel-en-le-Frith.

COOK General for small family; must be good plain cook; small washing.—Mrs. Kelly, The Mount, Killiney.

COOK General for country town, strong, smart servant; good cook; small washing. State age, wages, etc., to Mrs. Cumisky, Balbriggan, Co. Dublin.

COOK General or Soldier's Widow Wanted for a Flat, age 28 to 30; three in family; good wages, comfortable home. Apply Mrs. L., 24 Vale Court, Maida Vale, London, W.

GOOD Cook General Wanted for Chester, family three; no washing; £24; house parlourmaid kept. Enclose copies and state particulars to Mrs. Garman, Renvyle, Rathdrum.

GOOD Cook Wanted, four in family. Call, 4 to 8 o'clock, 32 Hollybrook road, Clontarf.

KILLINEY—Good Cook General Wanted; another maid kept; small family; copies and age.—Miss Moore, Moorefield, Ballybrack.

REQUIRED immediately, Singlehanded Cook, young, for London, small dairy, fowl, £28; also Single Housemaid for Mayo, £18. Apply Hon. Mrs. d.d., Crossboyne, Claremorris.

WANTED, country Girl, Good Plain Cook, age about 30; help given; no dairy; near Dublin. Address "Z 4372, Cook," this office.

WANTED, plain Cook General; dairy, tidy, early riser; state wages, good references.—Mrs. McCheane, Freshford, Kilkenny.

WANTED, Good Plain Cook, little housework, small dairy. Apply, with testimonials, stating wages, to Mrs. Osburne, Glanville, Galway.

WANTED, capable Cook Housekeeper, age 30 to 45; two in family; house parlourmaid kept; wages £24. Address "Z 4439, Cook," this office.

WANTED, experienced Cook Housekeeper for large establishment, country; very good cook and manager required; well recommended; R.C. preferred, not essential; good wages. Full particulars to "Z 4450, Cook," this office.

WANTED, a young experienced Girl, R.C., to do plain cooking in a small family. Apply, with copies of discharges, stating age and wages expected, "Z 4458, Cook," this office.

WANTED, Good Plain Cook, able to take charge of small dairy. Send copies of papers to Mrs. Colles, St. Petroc, Stillorgan.

WANTED, strong Cook General, age from 25 to 35, for Golf Club near London; wages £24 yearly. Address "Z 4482, Cook," this office.

WANTED immediately, Westmeath, first class good butter maker, £30, £35; £22, £25; one Parlourmaid, some housemaid's work.—Irish Times Registry.

WANTED. For particulars good Cook; must be gentleman.

WANTED, Singlehanded Cook, good plain cook, bread maker, and capable cleaner; country house. Address "Z 4500, Cook," this office. F

GENERAL SERVANTS WANTED.

CAPABLE young General Servant Wanted. Apply, after 4 p.m., any evening, 20 Beresford terrace, Rathfarnham.

CAN any Lady recommend a good General Servant, accustomed to gentleman's country place; small family; no washing, milking, or boots. Apply Mrs. Staunton, Aran Lodge, Castlerea.

GENERAL Servant, experienced; £18.—F 607, this office.

GENERAL Wanted; early riser; small washing; good plain cooking.—16, Rathgar.—F 849, this office.

GENERAL Servant Wanted, 19 to 22, small family. Call, 7 to 9, or write, 5 Eaton square, Terenure.

GENERAL, young, Wanted, housework, washing; in Dublin.

GENERAL Servant Wanted.—40 Mountain View road, Ranelagh.

GENERAL Servant—Respectable Woman Wanted, R.C., accustomed to children, able to milk and mind poultry, for farmer's house, near Kingstown; send copies of discharges, wages expected.—F 11, Irish Times Office, Kingstown.

GENERAL Wanted; one gentleman; man servant kept; £18. Call 24 Main st., Blackrock.

IMMEDIATELY—Required, suit settled person; for charwoman fortnightly.—F 1024, this office.

SUPERIOR General Wanted, three in family, small washing, plain cooking. Apply between 6 and 7 p.m., 7 Harrington st.

SUPERIOR young General Wanted at once for Bray; comfortable home. Address "Z 4598, General," this office.

SUPERIOR young Generals, £14, £16. Meet Ladies, 11.30 to-day, M'Donnell, 20 Westland row.

WANTED, General, middle aged, country rectory; family 4; help given; good recommendations essential; wages £16-£18. Address "Z 4391, General," this office.

WANTED, General Servant, young girl, Protestant. Send last reference to Miss F. Clark, Upperlands, Co. Derry.

WANTED immediately, young, experienced country General; plain cooking, small washing; three in family; man kept; wages £16; references.—Jackson, Grange, Longford.

WANTED, General Servant. Apply to-day, 24 Grosvenor place, Rathgar.

WANTED, smart young General; good cooking essential; good wages to suitable Girl. Apply, with references, 10 Upper Leeson st.

WANTED, General Servant, plain cooking, small washing; three in family.—Merringen, Greystones. D

WANTED, experienced General for doctor's house in provincial town. Address "Z 4428, General," this office. D

WANTED, General Servant. Apply 6 Cambridge terrace, Leeson Park, after 5.

WANTED, a smart young General; must be very clean; four family. Apply Mrs. Golding, 24 Raymond terrace, S.C.R.

WANTED, nice General, small family, Killiney; £18.

WANTED, M. T., Flewitt's, 9 Grafton st.

WANTED immediately, near Belfast, for farmhouse, a good General, able to wash, milk, bake; another maid kept; no children; churches mile distant; wages £18; enclose copies.—F 974, this office.

WANTED, a capable General Servant, Protestant, for country place in Co. Galway; comfortable home and good wages to suitable person. Address "Z 4266, General," this office.

WANTED, young General Servant; no cooking. Apply 91 Baggot st., 12 to 4 o'clock.

WANTED, young Girl, General Servant; small family, washing, cooking.—35 Grosvenor road.

WANTED, young General, for Dalkey; outdoor; washing; £12.—Winnett's, Dalkey.

WANTED, capable General; good cook and good housework.—Mount Saville, Terenure.

WANTED, young General; washing, plain cooking; interview required.—Lindville, Mayfield road, Terenure.

YOUNG General Servant; good references; no washing, no children. Apply, before 1 o'clock, 17 Maxwell road, Rathgar.

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED.

A YOUNG House Parlourmaid Wanted, end of month; strongly recommended; wages £20 and 10/- board; very small family; copies or no notice.—F 812, this office.

A GOOD Housemaid; do plain sewing, mending, help wait table, required by Mrs. Waldron, Melitta Lodge, Kildare.

A HOUSEMAID, £26; do., £22; H. P'maid, £20, Dublin; 2 Parlourmaids, £30.—68 Sackville st.

ALL classes Cooks, Generals, Housemaids, House P'maids Wanted.—Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton st.

CAN Lady recommend young Protestant Girl train House Parlourmaid; some experience necessary; must be strong and quick, nice appearance, good tempered; suburbs.—523, Irish Times Office, Baggot st. Bridge. O

COUNTESS of Kenmare, Kenmare House, Killarney, requires Head Housemaid; good needlewoman; must have excellent references.

IMMEDIATELY—Strong, active Girl as House Parlourmaid or to train; country place. Apply, with references.—Littleton Rectory, Thurles.

WANTED immediately, House Parlourmaid for Kells, Co. Meath. Send discharges, state age, wages, to Mrs. Ringwood, Quilty House, Drogheda.

WANTED, October 17th, House Parlourmaid for Officers' Quarters, Dublin barracks, small family. Address "Z 4375, Maid," this office.

WANTED, Housemaid, R.C.; early riser essential; well trained General or Betweenmaid might suit; must be strong and active; wages £16-£18.—Mrs. Scott, Harmount, Dollymount.

WANTED, 15th, House Parlourmaid, small family, comfortable place. Apply Olney, Foxrock.

WANTED, Protestant Housemaid, experienced, Upper maids kept; wages £22-£24; state age, papers.—Hawker's Agency, Limerick.

WANTED immediately, young House Parlourmaid, Protestant; wages £12 to £14. Apply Employment Agency, 53 Upper Mount st.

NURSES WANTED.

CAN any Lady recommend a careful, experienced R.C. Nurse for baby of two months.—Mrs. Fleming, North Nurse New Ross, Co. Wexford.

DAILY Nurse Wanted to take baby from month old.—Scully, 47 Dawson st.

HELP required, Clontarf, care child two years, light housework, sewing; state age, religion, salary.—F 861, this office.

LADY will train neat, strong, quick Girl, R.C., as Nurse Housemaid; must wash nicely; good needlewoman; charge one child 2 years; country. Address "Z 4393, Nurse," this office.

NURSE, R.C., thoroughly experienced, take charge of three children, nine months. Apply, with references, Mrs. McKenna, Killeen terrace, Malahide.

WANTED, for the Curragh, Nurse Housemaid, some washing; must be good laundress. Send copies, stating wages, to "Z 4373, Maid," this office.

WANTED, experienced Nurse, take infant from month, entire charge; wages £25-£30.—Bomford, Oakley Park, Kells, Meath.

WANTED, a Maid for one little girl, aged 4½ years; must be first class needlewoman, and able to cut out. Apply, with references, to Mrs. Wylie, St. Brendan's, Sandymount avenue, Dublin.

WANTED, steady young Girl, I.C., to help with children and house; country. Apply, with references.

WANTED, smart young Girl to care two children, 4 years and 2 years, help with housework and needlework. Apply Mrs. Owens, 63 Eccles st.

WANTED, October 24th, experienced Protestant Nurse, age 25-35, to take entire charge of two boys, ages 3½ years and 14 months. Apply Mrs. Rosanne, Dundalk.

WANTED, experienced Nurse, R.C., end of month, first baby; must sew and do baby's washing, and be highly recommended; in town; £16.—F 987, this office.

DOMESTICS CONTINUED.

WANTED, for Dalkey, capable young Nurse; some experience; good wages to reliable girl.—F 882, this office.

WANTED, young Protestant recommended Girl to train as Children's Maid.—Dysart, Duncan, Greystones.

WANTED, Nurse Housemaid, country town, help with baby and two children going to school; state experience, religion; wages £18. Address "Z 4472, Nurse," this office. E

WANTED, a settled, experienced Person to mind baby, assist with other children; wages £15. Apply, with copies references, to Mrs. Richard Conway, Claremorris. E

WANTED, strong, respectable young Nurse, R.C., for city, take charge of two young children; state age, wages, etc.—F 939, this office.

WANTED, daily, clean, trustworthy Girl to take out baby, Rathgar district.—R O 256, Irish Times Office, Rathmines.

YOUNG experienced Nurse Wanted, boy 2 years and infant; do washing; wages £16-£18.—F 1000, this office.

KITCHEN, LAUNDRY, ETC., WANTED.

GOOD Kitchenmaid, also Laundrymaid, England.—Matron, 3 Upper Baggot st.

KITCHENMAID required immediately, young, strong country girl, partly trained. Apply to Mrs. Loftus, Mount Loftus, Goresbridge, Co. Kilkenny.

WANTED, Kitchenmaid October 27th; strong, willing, some experience, copies; washing required.—White, with copies papers, to Mrs. Crofton, Lakefield, Mohill. D

DOMESTICS DISENGAGED.

AT 40 DUKE STREET—Miss M'Caul recommends all sorts of High Class Servants of indisputable respectability. NOTE ADDRESS. 12 6

DISENGAGED November 1st—Friends, House Parlourmaid, Housemaid, go Cook General, also Cook, Housemaid, Disengaged, Hotel Manageress.—Wild's Agency, Marlfield, Clonmel.

EXPERIENCED Dressmaker wishes position as Ladies' or Children's Sewingmaid; can be well recommended.—F 953, this office.

MAID Attendant, Protestant, experienced, kind, attentive to invalids; recommended.—F 814, this office. E

PARLOURMAID, H. P'maids, Housemaids, House Sewingmaid, Betweenmaid disengaged; highly recommended.—Blackwood's, Lower Mount st.

RESPECTABLE country Woman seeks situation, Working Housekeeper or Superior General; prize butter maker; 6½ years last place.—F [illegible], this office.

SUPERIOR, 4497, Housekeeper, this office.

SEWINGMAID, dressmaker, hairdresser, disengaged, R.C., or go Housemaid; recommended. Address "Z 4438, Sewingmaid," this office.

SUPERIOR Working Housekeeper disengaged; economical; excellent long discharges; business or private house; recommended.—F 936, this office.

SUPERIOR Maid or Working Housekeeper, good cook, waitress; excellent references; £20.—F 997, this office.

USEFUL Sewingmaid, young, experienced with children; can be well recommended; shortly disengaged.—F 741, this office.

VERY respectable young Soldier's Widow, three children, wishes situation, Lodgekeeper, or would take small dairy, poultry, or any position of trust; highest references; please state full particulars. Address "Z 4435," this office.

WORKING Housekeeper—Respectable country Woman wishes situation; plain cook, milk, dairy, fowl; small family; well recommended.—Kennedy, Rednagh, Aughrim, Co. Wicklow.

YOUNG Girl, well recommended, wishes situation in office or business house; £18 to £20. Address "Z 4483, Employment," this office.

COOKS, DAIRYMAIDS DISENGAGED.

A LADY highly recommends a good Cook; understands dairy; country preferred.—F 813, this office.

A GOOD Plain Cook in small family; long discharges; highly recommended; city preferred.—F 850, this office.

AT Miss Keegan's, Upper George's st., Kingstown, 2 Excellent Cooks, 5 years' reference, economical.

COOK, first class experience, economical, wishes re-engagement, hotel, club, or restaurant.—F 815, this office.

COOK General, good cook and laundress; city or suburbs; recommended.—F 897, this office.

COOK General, good appearance. Seen 6 Charlemont place.

COOK, R.C., wishes situation where kitchenmaid is kept; good reference; undertake dairy if required.—Address Nell, Quragh, Tullow, Co. Carlow.

COOK General—9 Marlborough st.

DISENGAGED, a good, singlehanded Cook, also a Housemaid or House Parlourmaid; both young, R.C., in a small family, together or separately; highly recommended; good wages.—Parlour, Bellevue, Ferry Bank, Waterford.

EXCELLENT Plain Cook, 147 Merrion road, Dublin or suburbs.

EXCELLENT Plain Cook, Protestant, wishes kitchen or betweenmaid is; good bread baker; highly recommended; country preferred. Address "Z 4427, Cook," this office.

FIRST Class Cook, hotel or club; understands duties; highly recommended.—F 957, this office.

GOOD Cook, Protestant; highly recommended; would take job or permanent.—F 749, this office.

GOOD Plain Cook; excellent papers; £20-£22; disengaged.—Flewitt's, 9 Grafton st.

GOOD Cook; £32; excellent references; also take dairy.—Blackwood's, Lower Mount st.

LADY recommends good Cook, city, schools, business; long papers.—S., 70 Marlborough st.

MIDDLEAGED country Woman, plain cooking, dairy; disengaged.—F 842, this office.

PROTESTANT young Cook General disengaged; good plain cook; suburbs. Apply, letter only, 37 Upper Clanbrassil st.

PLAIN Cook wishes situation in business or private house; long discharges; highly recommended.—Goodman, 74 Upper Dorset st.

RESPECTABLE Widow, middle aged, wishes situation, Plain Cook, Laundress, business house or country; good reference.—Mrs. R., 1 Brady's Cottages, Terenure.

SUPERIOR Cook General, young; go General; £18; soon disengaged.—Winnett's, Dalkey.

YOUNG Girl wishes situation, Cook General or General; small family; well recommended.—Lucy Brady, Harold Lodge, Greystones.

GENERAL SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

A FEW good Generals (Cook Generals), £10 to £22, Ireland or England.—68 Sackville st.

AT Blackwood's, 41 Lower Mount st.—Several good Generals disengaged, £16-£22.

EXPERIENCED General, or go as Working Housekeeper; highly recommended.—M. C., 8 Drummond place, Harold's Cross.

EXPERIENCED General, plain cooking, small washing; city, suburbs; £12.—A., 2 Camden Buildings, Lower Camden st.

GENERAL, plain cooking, small family, seaside, suburbs; highly recommended.—F 926, this office.

GENERAL; plain cooking; small washing; early riser; well recommended.—F 911, this office.

GENERAL, disengaged; plain cooking; small washing; good papers; well recommended.—F 901, this office.

GENERAL, disengaged; plain cooking; well recommended.—L. B., 14 Wellington st., Kingstown.

HOUSEMAID seeks situation as General; some knowledge of cooking; well recommended.—F 902, this office.

LADY wishes to get situation for country Girl, 17, General or Housemaid, Rathmines.—Mrs. Stronach, 8 Windsor road.

LADY, going away, recommends young General, partly trained, honest, willing; Ballsbridge, Sandymount district preferred; sleep out. Apply to-day, 117 Tritonville road, Sandymount; after write Miss J. Darling, 9 York terrace, Ringsend.

MIDDLEAGED General or Working Housekeeper, business house; recommended.—F 955, this office.

PROTESTANT General—Lady can recommend same, thorough and trustworthy. Call after 5, 30 Upper Baggot st.

RESPECTABLE Girl, R.C., wants situation as General; good references. Address "Z 4371, General," this office.

SMART General, disengaged October 18th.—46 Desmond terrace, Kingstown.

SUPERIOR young Woman (husband on active service), English, experienced; chief object comfortable home.—F 914, this office.

SUPERIOR young General disengaged; country girl; good experience; five years' discharge; thoroughly experienced.—F 924, this office.

SMART young General, disengaged; plain cooking, small washing; Dublin or Limerick preferred.—F 919, this office.

SUPERIOR young General wishes situation; highly recommended; wages £18 to £20.—F 992, this office.

TWO superior Generals disengaged; institution, business, or school; both seven years last place; 30 and 32; highly recommended.—F 920, this office.

TRUSTWORTHY General, small family, good cook; long papers; highly recommended.—F 1022, this office.

YOUNG General wishes situation with small family; can be well recommended.—F 804, this office.

YOUNG Girl wishes situation as General; no washing; R.C.; fair experience; highly recommended.—Mrs. Mulligan, Maynooth.

YOUNG Convent trained Girl wishes situation, General or Housemaid; excellent needlewoman.—F 947, this office.

YOUNG General, some experience of cooking; obliging; well recommended.—F 900, this office.

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS DISENGAGED.

EXPERIENCED House Parlourmaid, disengaged when suited; no objection to country. Seen 8 to 9.30, Chrissie, Wellesley, 10th, 1 till 5 p.m.

EXPERIENCED Housemaid or House Parlourmaid, aged 23. Address "Z 4430, Housemaid," this office.

EXPERIENCED House Parlourmaid, disengaged, country girl; wages £16; age 27, R.C.; would go as Housemaid.—House Parlourmaid.—T. G., 9 North King st.

EXPERIENCED Housemaid, go House and Parlourmaid, good needlewoman; disengaged; South suburbs.—C. Fitzpatrick's avenue, Dalkey.

EXPERIENCED Housemaid wishes situation; good needlewoman.—M. G., Killiney Hill, Killiney. S. Wicklow.

HOUSEMAID or House Parlourmaid wishes situation; experienced.—Dunne, 16 Summerhill Parade.

HOUSE Parlourmaid desires situation; small family, willing, obliging; recommended.—F 899, this office.

HOUSE Parlourmaid wishes situation in the Rathmines Township; long papers; highly recommended.—J. K., 9 Grattan st.

LADY recommends young Girl, R.C., to train Under Housemaid.—M., Rathmines.

LADY recommends superior young Housemaid Waitress; hotel or business house; highly recommended.—F 935, this office.

LADY wishes to recommend Housemaid, young, Protestant, experienced. Apply by letter only, Rocktown, Ballybrack.

DOMESTICS CONTINUED.

PARLOURMAID, first class, disengaged the 20th; long papers. Apply, by letter, S. T., Rose Hall, Templeogue, Terenure. C

PARLOURMAID, I.C., can carve and valet, wishes situation; near Dublin preferred; highly recommended.—F 816, this office. D

PARLOURMAID, experienced, with good appearance; can be highly recommended. Particulars, "Z 4504, Parlourmaid," this office.

RESPECTABLE R.C. country Girl wishes to be trained as House Parlourmaid; willing and obliging; can be well recommended. Address "Z 4399, House Parlourmaid," this office. D

SMART young House Parlourmaid, disengaged; nice appearance; country girl; recommended.—F 956, this office.

SUPERIOR country Girl (17) wishes training as Housemaid or Betweenmaid; strong, healthy; nice appearance.—F 937, this office.

SUPERIOR Housemaid disengaged; young; maid elderly lady; moderate salary.—F 921, this office.

YOUNG Girl wishes situation as Housemaid or House Parlourmaid; well recommended.—F 968, this office.

YOUNG Girl wishes trained Housemaid; well recommended.—C. Murphy, Dangan, Celbridge, Co. Kildare.

NURSES DISENGAGED.

AN experienced Lady Nurse for children; certificate from English College; I.C. Apply, stating salary, "Z 4407, Nurse," this office. D

A LADY confidently recommends very experienced Nurse; most successful with infants; state particulars.—Curran, 61 Palmerston road.

ENGLISH trained (certificated) Nurse, take lady's first baby from month; officer's family preferred. Address "Z 4443, Nurse," this office.

EXPERIENCED Protestant Nurse, English, first baby from a month; highest references.—F 946, this office.

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THE CINEMA.

INQUIRY COMMISSION'S REPORT.

STATE CENSOR RECOMMENDED.

Messrs. Williams and Norgate publish today, under the title of "The Cinema—Its Present Position and Future Possibilities," a volume containing the report of the chief evidence taken by the Cinema Commission of Inquiry instituted by the National Council of Public Morals. The President was the Bishop of Birmingham, and the membership of the Commission was of a widely representative character.

In Part 1 of their Report, the Commissioners state that they were much impressed by the evidence brought before them that moving pictures are having a profound influence upon the mental and moral outlook of millions of our young people. They left their labours with the deep conviction that no social problem of the day demands more earnest attention. They were of opinion that under wise guidance the cinemas may be made a powerful influence for good but that if its abuse be unchecked its potentialities for evil are manifold. The figures relating to the industry are described as bewildering in their immensity. Carefully tabulated returns show that in this country there are no fewer than 1,075,875,000 attendances at pictures shows in the course of a single year. In the British Isles there are approximately 4,500 theatres with a mean seating capacity which affords accommodation for one in every thirty-seven of the population.

The Commissioners give an exhaustive review of the moral and social aspects of this class of entertainment, as to the influence of which widely divergent views are held by the general public.

The report states that, while the Commissioners recognise that there are difficulties in securing necessary improvement, those difficulties are not insuperable, and improvement is imperative. One of the findings is that, while the charges of indecency have been greatly exaggerated, and the evil is not nearly as widespread as is often assumed, "yet that it does exist must be admitted, but not to any greater extent than in any other places of popular resort, and the regulations in force in London to suppress it should be made of general application. Not only should the local authority enforce existing regulations, but the public should assist the local authority by calling attention to any disregard of them." "Further," say the Commissioners, "a much stricter censorship than at one period is necessary. Steps have now been taken to effect this improvement. The censorship should include not only films, but the posters advertising the films."

Regarding the connection of the cinema with initiative juvenile crime, there was, according to the report, a mass of conflicting evidence. The conclusion of the Commissioners is that such a connection does exist, though to a limited extent. It is not, however, a necessary connection.

The Commissioners think that additional provision should be made for the young, both as regards arranging special exhibitions for them and securing suitable films to be there exhibited. The abolition of the picture house, in the view of the Commissioners, is impossible, even if it were desirable, as, in their judgment, it is not. On the other hand, they are strongly of opinion that not only is improvement practicable, but also of great national importance. There are interesting addenda on the use of the cinema in religious and social work.

Section 2 of the report speaks of the cinema in relation to the education of children—unquestionably one of the most interesting aspects of the question, seeing that the cinema is having an enormous effect for good or evil on the young, and is affecting the work of elementary schools to a considerable degree. Admittedly, the cinema is better for the child than the street, and, say the Commissioners, the great variety of opinions expressed by educational experts as to the value of the cinema in education points to the need for an exhaustive inquiry into the subject by an expert commission or committee. The reasons for the comparative failure of the educational film are its position in a mixed programme with films of far more general interest, and the need of preparation in the school or the running comments of an experienced lecturer. There appears to be an extensive field of usefulness in the indirect, rather than the direct, method of education by the cinema.

They are impressed by the necessity of a definite regulation of universal application being made with regard to the attendance of children under 14 years of age at cinemas beyond the hour of nine o'clock.

While acknowledging the effective work of Mr. T. P. O'Connor, M.P., as President of the Board of Censors, the judgment of the Commissioners is in favour of a State censorship, and, pending such an appointment, they recommend the continuance of the present arrangement, subject to some modifications.

The three representatives of the cinema industry sitting on the Commission, in giving their support to the findings generally, support the principle of State censorship as an ideal to be worked for, but reserve for the industry the right to oppose any attempt to set up this form of censorship without the provision of adequate safeguards.

CATHOLIC TRUTH SOCIETY.

THE ANNUAL CONCERT.

For some years past the concert of the Catholic Truth Society of Ireland has been a feature of the concert season in Dublin. The concert at the Mansion House last evening was in keeping with the reputation which the Society has gained in this regard, and it had also the distinction of introducing some fresh talent to the concert platform. Mr. M. A. O'Keefe, a baritone from Cork, came with a reputation which was at once justified by his singing of "Blow, thou Winter Wind," a number which he sang with delightful feeling, and as an encore, the first of the evening, he gave, with charming spirit, a breezy song, "A Chip of the Old Block." The reception accorded to Mr. O'Keefe was so cordial as to ensure his popularity at further engagements. "In the Shadows" was a headline in the programme which few of the audience could understand until two blind girls were conducted to the platform. One, Miss Violet M'Kinnon, proved to be an accomplished pianist, and the other, Miss Winnie M'Gough, sang with true artistry some agreeable items, of which "The Exile's Return" proved very popular. Miss Pauline D'Arcy recited some pieces with declamatory skill, which was keenly appreciated by a critical audience. The choruses sung by the Augustinian Musical Society reflected credit on the conductor, Miss Josephine MacIntyre. Miss Kathleen Gahan's singing of some popular songs was deservedly applauded, and Miss Florrie Ryan enhanced her reputation as a vocalist by her expressive rendering of a few ballads, including "Angus MacDonald" and "An Irish Cradle Song." Mr. W. A. Manahan sang in a manner which was generally appreciated, and the 'cello selections of Mr. Clyde Twelvetrees and the violin soli of Mr. Patrick Delaney were also enjoyed, while the humorous element was capably maintained by Mr. Cathal MacGarey. Mr. Vincent O'Brien was the accompanist.

The Army Council announce that they have taken possession of all cuttings, clippings, and remnants from cotton materials issued, or to be issued, by the War Department to any person holding any contract with the War Department for the making up of such materials into garments or any other articles, and all cuttings, clippings, and remnants from cotton materials produced, or to be produced, in or about the performance of any contract with the War Department.

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COURTMARTIAL SENTENCES.

FIVE YEARS' PENAL SERVITUDE IN LIMERICK CASE.

We are officially informed that Thomas Browne, Tiernaglohane, County Clare; Thomas Malone, Drombane, County Tipperary; Joseph Breen, Tiernaglohane, County Clare, and Thomas Callaghan, Kilwina, County Clare, civilians, who were tried by District Courtmartial at Cork on the 2nd October, 1917, for offences against Regulation 9 E, Defence of the Realm Regulations (Military Exercises and Drill (Ireland) Order, 1916), were each found guilty, and sentenced to two years' imprisonment, with hard labour.

The findings of the Court have been confirmed by the General Officer Commanding-in-Chief the Forces in Ireland, who remitted the hard labour portion of the sentence in each case, and one year of the sentence in the cases of Browne, Malone, and Breen, and eighteen months in the case of Callaghan.

Edward Punch, of 31 Frederick place, Limerick, who was tried by General Courtmartial at Dublin on the 5th October, 1917, for the following offences against the Defence of the Realm Regulations:—(1) Endangering the safety of two members of the Royal Irish Constabulary at Ballinacurra, County Limerick, by assaulting and presenting a loaded revolver at them; (2) carrying firearms without lawful authority; (3) having explosive substances in his possession—was found guilty of the first and second offences and not guilty of the third offence.

The Court sentenced Punch to five years' penal servitude. The findings and sentence have been confirmed by the General Officer Commanding-in-Chief the Forces in Ireland.

DEFENCE OF REALM ACT.

ARREST IN KILKENNY.

Mr. Edward O'Kelly, medical student, a native of Maynooth, and said to be a lieutenant in the Irish Volunteers, was arrested in Kilkenny yesterday, charged with having made a seditious speech at the Commons, Ballingarry, Co. Tipperary, on August 12. It is understood that he will be charged at Cork with the offence.

AMERICA'S NATIONAL GAME.

BASEBALL GAME IN DUBLIN.

As already announced, picked teams from military units representing the United States and Canada will give an exhibition of America's great national game of baseball at Lansdowne road on Saturday, October 27th. The teams are being brought specially for the event from London by Mr. A. G. Lee, Hon. Secretary of the Military Hospitals' Baseball League, and the men he is bringing have already played to tens of thousands of people in England. No expense is being spared to have all arrangements in perfect order for a great exhibition of this fascinating game. Every penny of the proceeds will be handed over to Dublin Castle Red Cross Hospital, to be spent on the upkeep of this splendidly equipped institution.

CHANTICLEER'S NOTES.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM.)

NEWMARKET, TUESDAY NIGHT.

A big card is arranged for the second stage of the first October fixture, and two-year-old events figure largely in the bill. For the Jockey Club Handicap a fairly representative field will turn out. Selections:—

Linton Plate (I.)—**Kamerad.**

Three-Year-Old Handicap—**Count Warbler.**

Hopeful Stakes—**Syndrian.**

Jockey Club Handicap—**St. Eloi** or **Nisus**; **Salamandra** a place.

Wednesday Nursery (I.)—**Wise Dove.**

Wednesday Nursery (II.)—**Abiad** or **The Barbet.**

Great Eastern Handicap—**Diadem** or **Grand Fleet.**

Linton Plate (II.)—**Shenley Boy.**

CHANTICLEER.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Owners and trainers should note that all races at the Phoenix Park November Meeting close to-day with Mr. J. W. Frith, Ashtown House, Castleknock, Co. Dublin; or Mr. Brindley.

M. Inman, the famous billiard player, has received a further calling-up notice from the Army authorities.

The attention of owners and trainers is directed to the closing to-day, with Mr. Brindley, of all races at the Kells Red Cross Meeting, fixed for the 31st inst. Entries for the Athgarvan Plate at the Curragh October Meeting must also be made to-day.

Green Button, who won on both days at the recent Dundalk Meeting, gained another bracket at Listowel yesterday, and, incidentally, enabled Mr. M. Arnott, the Clonsilla trainer, to register his fiftieth winner this season.

There were several double events brought off at Listowel yesterday, Mrs. Joseph Widger winning two races, while horses trained by R. Moss accounted for a couple of races, and F. Morgan was twice successful in the saddle.

The committee in charge of the popular Tralee Meeting are putting forth a special endeavour to make this year's fixture, which takes place on November 12th and 13th, a big success, and they have issued an attractive programme of events, the entries for which close to-day with Mr. Brindley, 14 Upper Merrion street, Dublin.

The latest golfing development in the United States is the formation of the Seniors' Golf Association. There are already 500 members, each over 50 years of age. In a recent tournament at the Apawamis Club, for which there were 170 competitors, the lowest net score was returned by Judge Henry A. Gildersleeve, of Garden City, who, though 77 years of age, went round in 102, less 30—72.

GOLF.

PORTMARNOCK CLUB.—The May (Wednesday) Cup will be played for to-day. Post entry and arrange opponent.

HERMITAGE CLUB—LADIES' BRANCH.—Ladies' Challenge Cup—Miss G. Lauder beat Miss Barr in the final round by 5 and 4. October 16th—Ladies' semi-open foursomes, for prizes presented by Rev. A. J. Ryan (captain). October 20th—Open mixed foursomes.

RATHFARNHAM CLUB—LADIES' BRANCH.—The finals of the monthly medal were played on Tuesday. Result:—Class I.—Mrs. J. E. Healy. Class II.—Mrs. O. Young. The annual general meeting was held in the clubhouse the same day, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—Vice-presidents, Mrs. R. Browne, Mrs. A. Benson; captain, Miss Buchanan; committee—Mrs. W. Crawley, Mrs. Cole, Miss A. McCaw, Mrs. Batchen, Mrs. R. Benson, Miss Perry; hon. secretary, Miss Day, 38 Herbert Park. Fixture:—October 12th—Monthly medal (strokes).

WICKLOW CLUB.—The following have qualified to play for medal finals on Saturday:—M. Hodgson, R. Loverock, J. Duffy, O'Grady, Rowland Bridgeman, McHugh, G. Byrne, Kent or C. Byrne, Barron.

HOCKEY.

ROYAL HIBERNIAN CLUB.—The annual general meeting was held last evening in the Students' House. Captain A. J. McCleesh, Headmaster, presided. The reports of cricket and tennis branches were considered satisfactory, and the treasurer's accounts passed. Badges for good cricket were awarded to Students Parslow, Ingledew, and Hemp, and caps for last season's hockey to Students Parslow and Stock. The following elections were made:—President, Col. McDonnell, C.B.; hon. presidents, Brig.-General Dowell, Cols. Leach, Deane, Wynyard, and Fleming; vice-presidents, Col. Inman, Major Smyth, Captain McCleesh, Lieut. J. S. McMahon, Captain McDonald, Lieut. Nalty; hon. treasurer, A. W. Tucker, M.A.; hon. secretary, H. J. Long, R.H.M. School; assistant treasurer, Student Hobbs; captain of club, Student Parslow; vice-captain, Student Mahoney; committee—Messrs. Long, Toole, and Skelly. Fixtures for hockey season can now be made. £2 2/- was voted to "Irish Times" Red Cross Fund.

Royal Hibernians "A" Team v. Army Pay Corps.—This match resulted in a win for Royal Hibernians by 3 goals to 2.

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SPORTING NEWS.

LISTOWEL MEETING—YESTERDAY.

A cold breeze blew across Island course at Listowel yesterday, and there were a couple of heavy showers. Despite the rain that had fallen of late, the going was in nice order, and although fields were on the small side, the racing was fairly interesting. Tumbril and Green Button were the best backed pair for the Tralee Plate, and they finished first and second, Green Button scoring comfortably. The penalised Rathleague was in most request of three that contested the Listowel Plate, and after a good finish with Menlo he won by a length. There was little to choose between Blockade Runner and L.B. in the wagering on the Ballybunion Steeplechase, but the last-named scored with plenty in hand. The Hun very readily landed the odds laid on him for the Corinthian Plate, and Mr. Julia, who jumped splendidly, easily disposed of Callan in the River Steeplechase. Details:—

2.0—TRALEE HANDICAP HURDLE of £50. 1½ m.

Mr. T. Dickson's **GREEN BUTTON**, by Bachelor's Button—Gretna Green, 6, 11-3 ..... F. Morgan 1
Mr. T. B. Donnelly's **TUMBRIL**, 6, 11-0 ..... D. Colbert 2
Mr. H. Scott's **REALI**, 4, 9-12 ..... C. Aylin 3

Also ran—Gallipolis, 4, 10-9 (Mr. M. Kirby); Water Daisy, a, 9-8 (W. Smith). (Winner trained by Mr. Arnott, Clonsilla.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. Tumbril, 2 to 1 GREEN BUTTON, 5 to 1 each Gallipolis and Reali, 10 to 1 Water Daisy.

Tumbril led from Green Button and Reali, with Gallipolis, who bolted at the start, last, until half a mile from home, when Green Button took command and won by three lengths; four lengths between second and third.

2.30—LISTOWEL HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of £70. 2 m.

Mr. S. K. Gwyer's **RATHLEAGUE**, by Tredennis—Flight, a, 11-12 ..... R. Moss 1
Capt. J. O'G. Delmege's **MENLO**, a, 11-0 ..... J. Burns 2
Mr. D. G. Fitzgerald's **TURLOUGH**, a, 10-0 ..... Mr. J. Coghlan 3

(Winner trained by R. Moss, Patrickswell.)

Betting—Evens RATHLEAGUE, 7 to 4 agst. Turlough, 9 to 4 Menlo.

Turlough made play, followed by Rathleague and Menlo, for a mile and a half, when he dropped back, and Rathleague, coming on from Menlo, won by a length; a bad third.

3.0—BALLYBUNION OPEN STEEPLECHASE of £50. 3 m.

Mrs. Jos. Widger's **L.B.**, by Derncleugh—Lady Tredennis, a, 10-3 ..... F. Morgan 1
Mr. Gwyer's **BLOCKADE RUNNER**, a, 10-0 ..... Houlihan 2
Mrs. P. Sheehan's **LAUTUS**, a, 10-0 P. Sheehan 3

Also ran—Second Attempt, a, 10-0 (Meany). (Winner trained by Mr. Brabazon, Bellinter.)

Betting—Evens Blockade Runner, 11 to 10 agst. L.B., 20 to 1 any other.

Second Attempt showed the way to Blockade Runner, Lautus, and L.B., for two miles, when Blockade Runner went to the front, followed by L.B., who took command half a mile from home, and won in a canter by ten lengths; a bad third. Second Attempt did not complete the course.

There was no bid for the winner.

3.30—CORINTHIAN PLATE of 40 sovs. A handicap flat race. 2 m.

Mr. J. Nugent's b. g. **THE HUN**, by Minoru—Meinhart, 5, 11-7 ..... Mr. W. J. Parkinson 1
Miss Garth's **MRS. T.**, 4, 10-0 (car. 10-3) ..... F. Morgan 2
Mr. J. Hogan's **MANISTER BRIDGE**, 3, 10-7 (car. 10-9) ..... C. Aylin 3

Also ran—La Somna, 5, 11-4 (Mr. C. Higgins); Arbor, a, 10-0 (car. 10-2) (Mr. J. Coghlan). (Winner trained by Mr. Parkinson, Curragh.)

Betting—6 to 4 on THE HUN, 5 to 1 La Somna, 6 to 1 Manister Bridge, 7 to 1 Mrs. T., 10 to 1 Arbor.

La Somna made play from Arbor, Mrs. T., and Manister Bridge, with The Hun last, until a mile from home, when The Hun drew out, followed by Mrs. T., and won in a canter by four lengths; a bad third. Arbor was fourth.

4.0—RIVER PLATE of 40 sovs. A steeplechase. 2 m.

Mrs. Jos. Widger's b. g. **MR. JULIA**, by Ambition or Paso del Norte—Julia, a, 10-7, £50 ..... E. Houlihan 1
Mr. W. Harty's **CALLAN**, 6, 10-2, £50 ..... Mr. C. Harty 2

(Winner trained by R. Moss, Patrickswell.)

Betting—5 to 2 on MR. JULIA.

Mr. Julia made all the running, and won by two lengths. The winner was bought in for 80 sovs.

SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

It is to be hoped there will be more runners to-day when the meeting will be brought to a conclusion. Selections are appended:—

Kerry Plate—**Maroc.**

Stand Plate—**Rathleague.**

Killarney Plate—**Duke of Brandon** or **Waving Queen.**

Island Plate—**Pay Only**; if absent, **Privit.**

Maiden Steeplechase—**Eclaireur.**

PROGRAMME.

1.45—THE KERRY PLATE of 60 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 2 m.

	Age	st.	lb.
Mr. J. C. M'Keever's Jenny Jones (12lb. ex.) ..... Walker	6	12	12
Major Scott Murray's Ormachus ..... Ussher	a	12	0
Mr. R. Power's Scotch Wolf ..... Ussher	a	10	11
Major Edwards' Maroc ..... Owner	5	10	11
Mr. J. Murphy's Symont ..... Cleary	6	10	10
Knight of Glin's Glencarbry ..... Harty	a	11	7
Mr. D. J. Power's Miss Rivers ..... Kirby	a	11	4
Mr. D. J. Kirby's Oriella ..... Owner	6	10	6
Mr. J. Read's Ashworth ..... Brabazon	5	10	4
Mr. E. Smyth's Miss Devlin ..... Private	a	10	4
Mr. J. P. Hogan's Speranza ..... Owner	6	10	0
Miss S. Flanagan's Water Daisy Private	a	10	0

2.15—THE STAND PLATE of 50 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 2 m.

	Age	st.	lb.
Mr. J. B. M'Roberts' Hotcap (12lb. ex.) ..... Harty	a	13	5
Mr. H. M. Hartigan's Loch Allen Arnott	6	12	7
Mr. S. J. Gwyer's Rathleague (12lb. ex.) ..... Moss	a	12	5
Mr. D. O'M. Leahy's Irish Field ..... Parkinson	4	12	2
Capt. J. O'G. Delmege's Menlo ..... Owner	a	11	7
Mr. J. Coghlan's Tirhugh ..... Owner	a	11	0
Mr. T. B. Bennett's The Baritone Hogan	5	10	12
Mr. P. Sullivan's Fetherney ..... Moss	4	10	0
Mrs. Croft's Yours Only ..... Ussher	5	10	2
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Draughty Owner	4	10	0

2.45—THE KILLARNEY PLATE of 50 sovs., A flat race. 1½ m.

	Age	st.	lb.
Mr. Brabazon's Duke of Brandon Owner	5	11	8
Lord Savile's Bee Fast ..... Arnott	5	11	8
Capt. Henderson's Mariano ..... Moss	6	11	8
Mr. Ledlie's Sprig of Mint ..... Parkinson	5	11	8
Mr. P. J. Higgins' La Somna ..... Owner	5	11	8
Sir R. M. Liddell's Moorefield Brabazon	4	11	1
Mr. J. Hogan's Manister Bridge Owner	3	10	12
Mr. T. D. Sinnott's Saintonge ..... Anthony	a	10	10
Mrs. Jos. Widger's Fairlight ..... Doyle	a	10	10
Capt. J. O'G. Delmege's Edward V. Owner	4	10	3
Major Edwards' Monard ..... Owner	a	10	3
Major Edwards' Solid Gold ..... Owner	4	10	3
Major Scott Murray's Two Sons Ussher	4	10	3
Mr. B. W. Parr's Oppliger ..... Arnott	a	10	3
Mr. T. Walsh's Waving Queen ..... White	6	10	3
Mr. H. Scott's Reali ..... White	4	10	3
Mr. M. F. Kelly's Moylish ..... Owner	4	10	3
Miss Garth's Mrs. T. ..... Hartigan	4	10	3
Mr. J. Ryan's Arbor ..... Coghlan	a	10	3
Mr. A. Balding's Little Colonel ..... Trench	3	10	0
Mr. W. Power's Llandudno ..... Trench	3	10	0
Lord Savile's Sowerby ..... Arnott	3	10	0
Mr. P. Sullivan's Sweet Hawthorn Moss	3	10	0
Mr. John Upton's King's Ransom Miller	3	10	0

3.15—THE ISLAND PLATE of 50 sovs. A steeplechase. 3 m.

	Age	st.	lb.
Mr. Gwyer's Blockade Runner ..... Moss	a	12	3
Mr. W. P. Hanly's Pay Only ..... Owner	a	12	3
Mr. D. J. Higgins' Glenpatrick ..... Harty	a	12	3
Mr. H. M. Hartigan's Loch Allen Arnott	6	12	3
Lord Savile's Ravensthorpe ..... Arnott	a	12	3
Mrs. P. Sheehan's Lautus ..... Sheehan	a	12	3
Mrs. Jos. Widger's L.B. ..... Moss	a	12	3
Major M'Calmont's Privit ..... Arnott	a	12	3
Mr. O. Lewisohn's Vobis ..... Ussher	6	10	10
Mr. A. Bender's Well Well ..... Ussher	5	10	7
Mr. P. Hogan's Manister Pride ..... Hogan	5	10	7

3.45—THE MAIDEN STEEPLECHASE of 40 sovs. 2 m.

	Age	st.	lb.
Mr. Jno. Barry's Ant Even ..... Brennan	a	11	4
Mr. C. Magner's Blunder ..... Magner	5	11	4
Mr. W. Purrish's Jimmy Rafter ..... Rogers	6	11	4
Mr. J. Reidy's Fergus Wave ..... Owner	a	11	4
Miss Robinson's Merry Miser ..... Coghlan	a	11	4
Mr. C. Swords' Hippodamia ..... Harty	a	11	4
Mr. A. Bender's Well Well ..... Ussher	5	11	4
Sir R. M. Liddell's Keep Clear ..Brabazon	a	11	4
Mr. Hannigan's Princess Lobelia ..Hogan	5	11	4
Capt. Henderson's Scarteen ..... Harty	6	11	4
Lord Derby's Eclaireur ..... Arnott	6	11	4
Mr. T. Bird's Homestead ..... Lombard	4	10	10
Mr. Hogan's Pride of Manister ..... Hogan	4	10	10
Mr. J. Kelk's Barmecide ..... Parkinson	4	10	10
Mr. J. G. Adams' Isle o' Sky ..... Trench	4	10	10

ARRIVALS.—Tumbril, Waving Queen, Gallipolis, Accilda, Oriella, Ashworth, Reali, Speranza, Gold Sand, Archias, Hotcap, Rathleague, Menlo, Dooley Ooley, Manister Pride, Ant Even, Baritone, Duscap, Lautus, Second Attempt, L.B., Wingate, La Somna, The Hun, Fugle Maid, Maroc, Manister Bridge, Scotch Wolf, Moylish, Royal Aid, Keep Clear, Callan, Yours Only, Princess Lobelia, Jimmy Rafter, Miss Rivers, Duke of Brandon, Monard, Sweet Hawthorn, Privit, Well Well, Blunder, Fergus Wave, Hippodamia, Eclaireur.

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CHESS.

RATHMINES CLUB.—The opening meeting for session 1917-18 took place on 6th inst. at the Town Hall. The following officers were elected:—President, Mr. C. B. Howell, LL.D.; hon. secretary, Mr. R. H. Scales, 52 Palmerston road; committee—Messrs. A. G. Bagot, J. J. Douglas, O. G. Herbert, J. Hopkins, J. F. Keatinge, T. M. Kenny, W. H. Pollett, F. Scales. The club meetings are held in the Town Hall each Saturday night during the session (October to April). Visitors are invited.

NEWMARKET MEETING—YESTERDAY.

12.30—THE WHIP. D.I.

Sir H. FitzHerbert's **MOUNTAIN LADDIE**, by Mountain Apple—Lady Valentine, 4, 10-0 ..... Camusot w.o.

(Winner trained by Lewis.)

1.30—A TRIAL SELLING HANDICAP of £150, added to a sweepstakes of £5 for starters. 1 m.

Mr. J. Harrie's b. g. **TRANSVAAL**, by Lord Bobs—Barnassie, 6, 7-4 ..... A. Smith 1
Mr. Donald Fraser's **SEVENTY-FIVE**, 4, 6-5 ..... J. Hopper 2
Mr. J. E. Potter's **LLANTHONY**, 5, 8-0 ... Weech 3

Also ran—Mustapha (Robbins), Denizulu (T. Leader), South Parade (Donoghue), Hollins Lane (Cooper), Landmark (Weaver), Double Deck (A. Wheatley), Crosstree (Noore). (Winner trained by A. Sadler.)

Betting—3 to 1 agst. South Parade, 7 to 2 TRANSVAAL, 6 to 1 each Llanthony and Denizulu, 7 to 1 Hollins Lane, 8 to 1 Mustapha, 100 to 6 any other.

Won by a length and a half; a head between second and third.

The winner was bought in for 170 gns.

2.0—THE ROUS MEMORIAL STAKES of £20 each, 10 ft., with £300 added. For two-year-olds. 5 f.

Mr. E. Hulton's ch. c. **VIOLINIST**, by Nell Gow—Cyrene, 9-4 ..... V. Smyth 1
Sir Hermon-Hodge's **GEORGIA**, 8-12 ... R. Cooper 2
Mr. S. Joel's **PANDION**, 9-4 ..... Donoghue 3

Also ran—Benevente (J. H. Martin), Blink (Madden), Gamelyn (Robbins), Soap Bubble (H. Jones), Chicago (R. Colling), Stony Ford (Rickaby). (Winner trained by Wootton.)

Betting—11 to 10 on Benevente, 4 to 1 agst. VIOLINIST, 10 to 1 each Georgia, Pandion, Blink, and Stony Ford, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by two lengths; a neck divided second and third.

2.30—THE FIRST OCTOBER NURSERY of £10 each for starters, with £300 added. 5 f.

Sir W. Cooke's br. c. **ROCKSAVAGE**, by Rock Sand—Manuka, 8-5 ..... A. Smith 1
Lord Ellesmere's **WISE DOVE**, 7-10 ... Donoghue 2
Lord Anglesey's **WILTON**, 9-0 ..... Whalley 3

Also ran—Barrete (Leader), Oratrice (R. Colling), Pyrotan (J. H. Martin), Bridgend (V. Smyth), Vaneda (P. Jones), Dionysos (A. Wheatley), Marchetta colt (Harris), Lamb Mint (G. Hulme), Bidston (W. Balding). (Winner trained by Barling.)

Betting—11 to 8 agst. ROCKSAVAGE, 2 to 1 Wise Dove, 7 to 1 Wilton, 10 to 1 Bridgend, 100 to 8 each Dionysos and Lamb Mint, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by three-parts of a length; a similar distance between second and third.

3.0—THE NEWMARKET OCTOBER HANDICAP of £500. 1¼ m.

M. M. Calmann's br. h. **HAKI**, by Rabelais—Hasseki, 5, 7-1 ..... Brennan 1
Mr. F. Phillips' **MOUNTAIN PARK**, 4, 8-5 ..... A. Smith 2
Mr. Farquharson's **DOUAI**, 4, 6-1 ..... Jarvis 3

Also ran—Ambre II. (Rickaby), Frustration (Donoghue), Parrot (P. Jones), Bayberry (H. Stokes), Prawle Point (Madden), Golden Rule (V. Smyth), King Frusquin (Hulme), Curraghgour (Palmer), Jute (Ritchie). (Winner trained by A. Taylor.)

Betting—4 to 1 agst. Frustration, 11 to 2 Golden Rule, 7 to 1 Curraghgour, 8 to 1 Mountain Park, 10 to 1 each HAKI and Prawle Point, 100 to 8 each Ambre II., Parrot, and Bayberry, 100 to 7 Jute, 100 to 6 any other.

Won by three lengths; a neck between second and third. Time—2 mins. 32 3-5 secs.

3.30—A MAIDEN (at starting) TWO-YEAR-OLD SELLING PLATE of £200. 7 f.

Mr. G. Davy's b. f. **SLIPPERY ANNE**, by Buckwheat—Tauranga, 8-11 ..... R. Colling 1
Mr. W. Cazalet's **RUMOUR**, 8-11 ..... Madden 2
Major M'Calmont's **WELSHMAN'S FANCY**, 8-6 ..... Hulme 3

Also ran—John Gay (Fox), Proudtofight (H. Jones), Keld (R. Watson), Half Sister (Donoghue). (Winner trained by Colling.)

Betting—Evens SLIPPERY ANNE, 7 to 2 agst. Welshman's Fancy, 10 to 1 each Rumour, John Gay, and Half Sister, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by three lengths; four lengths between second and third.

The winner was sold to Miss Shirley Kellogg for 510 gns.

4.0—AN APPRENTICES' HANDICAP (Class I.) of £107. 7 f.

Lady Nelson's b. c. **BRAMBLE TWIG**, by Chaucer—Bramble Jelly, 4, 7-12 ..... Garnham *
Lord Derby's bl. f. **TORTONA**, by Swynford—Marchetta, 3, 6-0 ..... Dale *
Lord Jersey's **ERL KING**, a, 6-1 ..... J. Mason 3

Also ran—Aerschot (G. Colling), Clap Gate (Pascoe), Julian (Ritchie), Watergruel (Smyth), Principal Girl (Forrest), Charcoal (Jephson), Neville Holt (Loosemore). (Bramble Twig trained by Nugent, and Tortona by Lambton.)

*Dead-heat. Stakes divided.

Betting—7 to 4 agst. BRAMBLE TWIG, 11 to 2 Aerschot, 7 to 1 Clap Gate, 8 to 1 TORTONA, 10 to 1 Watergruel, 100 to 9 Erl King, 100 to 7 Charcoal, 20 to 1 any other.

A dead-heat; three lengths divided second and third.

4.30—AN APPRENTICES' HANDICAP (Class II.) of £107. 7 f.

Mr. Farquharson's b. g. **PATCHY**, by Joe Chamberlain—Mauve Patch, 3, 6-8 ..... Jarvis 1
Mr. W. Hornsby's **KILLADOON**, a, 7-4 A. Smith 2
Mr. Sol Joel's **NATION**, 3, 7-0 ..... Stewart 3

Also ran—Carnation (J. Mason), Tufa (Lester), Channel Tunnel (Hanlon), Alabaster (Hayes). (Winner trained by Farquharson.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. PATCHY, 3 to 1 Nation, 6 to 1 Killadoon, 7 to 1 Tufa, 8 to 1 Carnation, 100 to 7 any other.

Won by five lengths; four lengths between second and third.

PROGRAMME FOR TO-DAY.

1.0—THE LINTON PLATE of £200, added to a sweepstakes of £10 each for starters. For two-year-olds. 6 f. DIVISION 1.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Helion	8	8	C. by Sunstar—Cyclamen	8	8
Proudtofight	8	8	Roi Grison	8	8
Barkis	8	8	Sweno	8	8
Glenbay	8	8	Herself	8	5
Doublet	8	8	Princess Nathalie	8	5
Old Drury	8	8	Delos	8	5
C. by Chaucer—Sagitta	8	8			
(Above have arrived or are trained at Newmarket.)					
Plaxtol	8	8	Strange Tale	8	5
The Plough	8	8	Mabella	8	5
Kamarad	8	8	Chanor	8	5
Queen's Square	8	5	Valiach		disq.

1.30—A THREE-YEAR-OLD HANDICAP of £300 added to a sweepstakes of £10 each for starters. 1 m.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Margarethal	9	0	Count Warbler	7	8
Grand Fleet	8	13	Oratory	7	4
Athdara	8	11	King Frusquin	7	4
Brown Prince	8	6	Trimestral	7	3
Colleger	8	5	Jute	6	12
St. Quin (10lb. ex.)	8	1	Nation	6	11
Tortona	7	9	Magnetic	6	5
(Above have arrived or are trained at Newmarket.)					
Aleli	7	8	Sir Desmond	7	3
Pick'ny (10lb. ex.)	7	8	Matrah	7	2
Hurry Along	7	7	Patlander	7	1
Muscovado	7	6	Bobbydazzler	6	13
Go On	7	5	Sunmeda	6	10
Glenalvon	7	3			

2.0—THE HOPEFUL STAKES of £15 each, with £200 added. For two-year-olds. 5 f.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Wilton	9	0	Best Born	8	10
Syndrian	9	4	Sweno	8	10
Giant Killer	9	4	C. by Ogden—Lady Sterling	8	10
Sonning	9	1	Etoile	8	7
Freesia	9	1	Lanta	8	7
Bridge of Weir	9	1	Mrs. Jawleyford	8	7
Lady Symline	9	1	Trestle	8	7
Alcaic	8	12	Lady Bayardo	8	7
Sunnymead	8	10	F. by Picton—Bridge of Sighs	8	7
Rienzi	8	10	Stony Ford	8	7
C. by Orby—Grania	8	10	F. by Greenback—Via	8	7
Speen	8	10			
Somme Kiss	8	10			
New Guinea	8	10	Evening Star	8	7
Kamarad	8	10	Dutch Mary	8	7
Brusiloff	8	10	Heather Kate	8	7
Beaufort	8	10	Polyantha	8	7
Reideur	8	10	Homage	8	7
Lustrose	8	10			
(Above have arrived or are trained at Newmarket.)					
Gainsborough	9	4	Julie's Charm	8	7
Plaxtol	8	10	Royal Robe	8	7
Thermogene	8	10	Polymeda	8	7
Deep Sea	8	10			

2.30—THE JOCKEY CLUB HANDICAP of £1,000. 1½ m.

	Age	st.	lb.		Age	st.	lb.
Nassovian	4	9	0	Prawle Point	6	8	0
Ambre II.	6	8	12	Bayberry	4	8	0
Furore	4	8	11	Ivanhoe	4	8	0
Aboukir	6	8	9	Saxon	4	8	0
The Viking	4	8	9	Mountain Laddie	4	8	0
St. Eloi	5	8	7				
Frustration	6	8	7	Seneschal	3	7	10
Lisnalinchy	3	8	6	Golden Maid	3	7	4
Salamandra	4	8	4	Denis d'Or	3	7	2
Nisus	4	8	2	Rosmarin	3	7	2
Kingston Black	3	8	1	Bridge of Marne	3	7	0
Aynsley	4	8	0				
(Above have arrived or are trained at Newmarket.)							
Sunny Jane	3	8	2	Ho Tei	3	7	0
Lady Minta	4	8	0				

3.0—THE WEDNESDAY NURSERY of £200, added to a sweepstakes of £5 each for starters. 5 f. CLASS 1.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Violinist	9	0	F. by Polymelus—Lady Bountiful	7	11
Trogon	8	4	Polyantha	7	11
Reine des Peches	8	4	Miss Richard	7	11
Off the White	8	2	Wise Dove	7	11
F. by Simon Square—Gallop Along	8	0	Pretty Bess	7	11
Wall Rock	8	0	Thyme	7	11
Inversnaid	7	12	Liberty	7	11
Happy Iola	7	12	Ella	7	10
Pyrotan	7	11			
(Above have arrived or are trained at Newmarket.)					
G. by Primer—Pop the Question	8	1	C. by Land League—High Tide	8	0
Viviani	8	0	Elfin	7	11
Devonport	8	0	Polyorama	7	11

3.30—WEDNESDAY NURSERY of £200, added to a sweepstakes of £5 each for starters. 5 f. CLASS 2.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
C. by Prospector—Pollywin (10lb. ex.)	9	1	F. by Bachelor's Double—Frewin	8	7
Armageddon	9	0	Phrosie	8	6
C. by Sunbright—Stale News	8	13	Sherston	8	5
Abiad	8	11	Golden Balm	8	4
The Barbet	8	11	Oyster Bay	8	2
F. by Turbine—Spanish Princess	8	10	G. by Jackdaw—Barcarole	8	1
Dornoch	8	10	White Nile	7	13
Lanta	8	9	C. by Simon Square—Tit for Tat	7	12
Neriasa	8	9	Holiday Task	7	11
Allan Brig	8	9	Llana Lucre	7	11
(Above have arrived or are trained at Newmarket.)					
Sunnymead	8	7	Hemphian's Plumes	8	3
Hacklina	8	7	Loaf Sugar	8	2
Marcoglass	8	3			

4.0—THE GREAT EASTERN RAILWAY HANDICAP—a sweepstakes of £10 each for starters, with £400 added. 5 f.

	Age	st.	lb.		Age	st.	lb.
Phalaris	4	9	2	Wayward (10lb. ex.)	3	7	2
Diadem	5	8	7	Tagrag	3	6	12
Roscius	3	8	5	Polyphonic	4	6	12
Grand Fleet	3	8	3	Siller	4	6	12
Foxton	4	8	3	Ecurie	3	6	9
Knutsford	3	8	0	Elisalexi	3	6	7
Molly Desmond	5	8	0	Greenroom	3	6	7
Roubaix (10lb. ex.)	3	8	0	All Serene	4	6	4
Verdun	4	7	6	Baymond	3	6	1
Lord Archer	3	7	5	Shoemaker	3	6	0
Bayodee	4	7	4	We Two	3	6	0
Troutsdale	4	7	2	Pamfleta	3	6	0
(Above have arrived or are trained at Newmarket.)							
Argos	4	7	4	Aviemore	3	6	5

4.30—THE LINTON PLATE of £200, added to a sweepstakes of £10 each for starters. For two-year-olds. 5 f. DIVISION 2.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Rock Dew	8	8	Epigram	8	8
Jutland	8	8	Citron	8	8
Passing	8	8	Bargate	8	8
Bapaume	8	8	Lanta	8	5
St. Michael	8	8	Tenedos	8	5
Speen	8	8	Ferry	8	5
London Pride	8	8	Ancient and Modern	8	5
C. by Swynford—Lady St. George	8	8	Jessin	8	5
			Princess Palatine	8	5
Gamelyn	8	8	Reine des Peches	8	5
Shenley Boy	8	8	Pretty Bess	8	5
(Above have arrived or are trained at Newmarket.)					
Cattewater	8	8	King John		disq.

LONDON BETTING—YESTERDAY.

CESAREWITCH.

(Run Newmarket Wed., Oct. 24. Dis.—2 m. 2 f.)

10 to 1 Salamandra, 4, 7-12 (t., o.) ..... Gilpin
10 to 1 Aynsley, 4, 7-11 (t., o.) ..... R. Day
10 to 1 Lisnalinchy, 3, 8-0 (o.) ..... Gilpin
100 to 9 St. Eloi, 5, 8-0 (t., o.) ..... Taylor
100 to 7 Ferox, 4, 8-5 (t., o.) ..... Butters
20 to 1 Waterbed, 5, 7-5 (t., o.) ..... T. Young

CAMBRIDGESHIRE.

(Run Newmarket Wed., Nov. 7. Dis.—1 m. 1 f.)

15 to 2 Phalaris, 4, 9-0 (t., o.) ..... Lambton
9 to 1 Bay d'Or, 4, 8-3 (t., o.) ..... Barling

MANCHESTER BETTING—YESTERDAY.

CESAREWITCH.

7 to 1 Lisnalinchy (t. and o.)
10 to 1 Aynsley (t. and o.)
14 to 1 Sanctum (t. and o.)
20 to 1 Ivanhoe (t. and o.)

CAMBRIDGESHIRE.

7 to 1 Phalaris (t. and o.)
12 to 1 Planet (t. and o.)
12 to 1 By Jingo (t. and o.)

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FIRST DAY.

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THE AUTUMN PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second will receive 3 sovs. A weight for age flat race. For horses that have never won a race under any rules value 50 sovs. Penalties and allowances. Riders—Gentlemen who are qualified under Rule 95 (i.) or (ii.), Rules of Racing; professionals (apprentices excepted) may also ride, but shall carry 2lb. extra. Entrance 1 sov. Two miles.

THE KENMARE PLATE of 50 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. Entrance 1 sov. Starters pay 10/- extra. Three miles.

SECOND DAY.

THE MANGERTON PLATE of 40 sovs. A hurdle race. For horses three years and upwards that never won a race value 50 sovs. Weight for age. Penalties and allowances. Entrance 1 sov. One mile and a half.

THE CORINTHIAN FLAT RACE of 40 sovs. A handicap flat race. Riders—To be ridden by gentlemen who are qualified under Rule 95 (i.) or (ii.), Rules of Racing, and any such rider not having won a race under any rules in any country value 70 sovs., allowed 5lb.; professionals (apprentices excepted) can also ride by carrying 5lb. extra. Entrance 1 sov. Two miles.

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THE KERRY PLATE of 50 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. Entrance 1 sov. Three miles.

THE SOUTHERN PLATE of 50 sovs. A selling handicap flat race. For all ages. Winner to be sold for 50 sovs. Entrance 1 sov. Starters pay 10/- extra. Five furlongs.

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In the CATHOLIC HALL, CARRICKMACROSS, On FRIDAY, OCTOBER 19th, 1917, At 9.30 p.m.
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.
THE 32ND
ANNUAL CONFERENCE
Will (D.V.) commence TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY) in THE FRIENDS' MEETING HOUSE, 6 EUSTACE STREET, DUBLIN (kindly lent).
10.30—MISSIONARY PRAYER MEETING—Miss Bradshaw.
11—MISSIONARY BIBLE READING—Rev. A. Bradley, E.G.M.
12-1—THE MISSIONARY'S AIMS AND EXPERIENCES—Miss M. G. Thompson and Rev. E. T. Pakenham (West Africa).
2.30-4—Expected Speakers—Miss Armstrong, Miss Forsythe, Mrs. Boyland.
4.30—QUIET HOUR.
N.B.—The Morning and Afternoon Sessions are not restricted to Y.W.C.A. workers.

A PUBLIC
MISSIONARY MEETING
Will also be held (D.V.) THIS EVENING,
At the MISSION HALL,
5 TOWNSEND ST., DUBLIN (by kind permission).
The Chair will be taken at 8 p.m. by H. T. GOING, Esq.
The Speakers will include Miss Forsythe, who has lately returned from "German" East Africa, and Rev. Arthur Bradley, Mission Worker in Egypt and Nile Mission Press.

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On TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), OCTOBER 11th, 1917, at 8 p.m.
You are earnestly invited to attend and bring your Bible.

A PUBLIC MEETING
WILL BE HELD ON
MONDAY, 15th OCTOBER, 1917,
At 4.30 p.m., at the
LECTURE THEATRE, ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY
(By kind permission of the Council),
In Aid of the APPEAL for the
"OUR DAY" RED CROSS FUND.
The Chair will be taken by
HIS EXCELLENCY THE LORD LIEUTENANT OF IRELAND,
And an Address will be Delivered by
SIR COURTAULD THOMSON,
Chief Red Cross Commissioner in the Mediterranean.
The Speakers will include:—
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The Public are earnestly invited to attend this Meeting.

PEMBROKE URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL, CO. DUBLIN.
SHOPS ACT, 1912, SECTION 5 (1) (3) (b) (c).
Notice of intention to make a Closing Order with respect to shops in the Pembroke Urban District, wherein the business of Pharmaceutical Chemist, Apothecary, Chemist and Druggist, and Registered Druggist, is carried on.
Notice is hereby given that the Council of the Urban District of Pembroke, Co. Dublin, propose to make a Closing Order with respect to Shops wherein the Retail business of Pharmaceutical Chemist, Apothecary, Chemist and Druggist, and Registered Druggist, is carried on within the said Urban District, fixing the hours at which such shops shall be so closed, as follows:—

Day of Week	Closing Hour	
Monday	9	o'clock p.m.
Tuesday	9	o'clock p.m.
Wednesday	9	o'clock p.m.
Thursday	9	o'clock p.m.
Friday	9	o'clock p.m.
Saturday	10	o'clock p.m.

Provided that nothing in this Order shall prohibit sales after Closing Hours of Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances, urgently required.
Provided also that this Order shall not operate in respect of the keeping open of such shops during the twelve week days immediately preceding the 1st January in each year.
Any person wishing to make objection to the Order, or suggestions as to the provisions of the Order, should address a statement in writing to the Clerk to the Urban Council before Saturday, 10th November, 1917.
Notice is further given that the occupier of any shop to be affected by the Order may, on presenting himself at this office between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 10 o'clock p.m. on any day before the said 10th November, 1917, verify that his name, address, and trade are duly entered in the Register of Shops.
Dated this 9th day of October, 1917.
JOSHUA C. MANLY, Clerk to the Council.
Town Hall, Ballsbridge, Co. Dublin.

IRISH CLERGY SONS' EDUCATION SOCIETY.
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ARRANGEMENTS FOR TO-DAY.

Theatre Royal—Hippodrome, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Gaiety Theatre—"Betty," 2.30 and 8 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"Tara's Halls," 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"Patriots" and "The Coiner," 8.15 p.m.
Empire Theatre—"The Balkan Princess," 6.50 and 9.
Tivoli Theatre—7 and 9 p.m.
Princess Cinema, Rathmines—3 to 11 p.m.
Kingstown Pavilion—Continuous.
South American Missionary Society—Annual Sale of Work, 8 Dawson Street, 1 to 6 p.m.
St. John Ambulance Brigade—First Aid Classes for Ladies, 42 Grafton Street, 8 p.m.
Inquest on Thomas Ashe—The Morgue, 11.30 a.m.
Dublin Criminal Sessions, 11 a.m.
North Dublin Guardians—Meeting, 2 p.m.
South Dublin Guardians—Meeting, 12.30 o'clock.
"Our Day" Military Tournament—Maryborough, 2 p.m.
Sale of Work—Litton Hall, 3 p.m.
Young Women's Christian Conference—Friends' Meeting House.
Catholic Truth Society—Mansion House, 8 p.m.
Missionary Meeting—Townsend Street Hall, 8 p.m.
Theosophical Society—Mills' Hall, Merrion Row, 8.0.

The Irish Times.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1917.

The Advance in Flanders.

For the fourth time in less than three weeks Sir Douglas Haig has struck at the German front in Flanders—this time in conjunction with the French forces on his left. Only five days have passed since the third stage of the attack on the commanding ridge east of Ypres carried his troops over the crest of the ridge for the greater part of its length, and left the enemy in possession only of the extreme northern spur, about a mile and a half in length, which culminates in the village of Passchendaele. It would seem natural, in these circumstances, to assume that yesterday's attack had as its objective the last portion of the ridge. Such an assumption, however, would ignore two facts—first, the state of the weather, and, second, the existence of a formidable obstacle flanking the ridge of Passchendaele. For some days past Flanders has been swept by rainstorms, and when the attack began yesterday the weather was still stormy. In such weather no very large advance could be practicable, and no adequate preparation for such an advance could be made; nor, it may be added, would a period of five days in any circumstances be sufficient for preparing an attack upon a position of capital importance which the Germans may be expected to defend with extreme tenacity. In the next place, the Passchendaele ridge is flanked to the north-west by the formidable obstacle of the Forest of Houthulst. This thick wood, nearly ten square miles in size, is an important factor in the German defensive scheme in Flanders. It occupies the greater part of the gap between the ridge system east of Ypres and the inundated area about Dixmude. The Germans have made the utmost possible use of the advantages of the Forest as an artillery position, and from its shelter their guns range upon the northern approaches to the Passchendaele ridge.

Yesterday's attack, therefore, was designed, as a necessary preliminary to completing the conquest of the ridge, to begin the mastery of this flanking obstacle. It seems to be the fashion to give to every definite stage in all this great action in Flanders—which is strategically one continuous battle—a local habitation and a name, and, as last week's attack has already come to be called the battle of Broodseinde, so this new attack, so far as the British share in it is concerned, will probably be known as the battle of Poelcappelle. The village lies immediately south of the Forest of Houthulst, on the main road from Dixmude to Ypres, which traverses the forest. It is situated in the plain between the forest and the rolling ground into which the ridge of Passchendaele sinks to the north. From this extension of the ridge—an extension low in itself, with its highest point no more than thirty-five feet above sea level, but ground high enough to be of great tactical importance in the flat landscape of Flanders—spurs extend westwards towards Poelcappelle. These spurs, just beyond Poelcappelle, which was captured last Thursday, give complete observation at close range over the rear of the Forest of Houthulst. Though yesterday's action extended further to the south, with the purpose and result of improving our position on the main ridge, its principal objective was these spurs beyond Poelcappelle. While the French attacked the forest directly from the south-west, the British troops struck at the positions dominating its rear. The combined operations were completely successful. The French, negotiating the tangle of streams and dykes in their way, reached the margin of the forest. The British secured the positions which dominate its rear approaches and advanced to its south-eastern outskirts.

Though Passchendaele itself still remains to the enemy, this close investment of the forest which protected their last foothold on the ridge makes that last foothold untenable. The Germans are already withdrawing their guns from the thickets of Houthulst, and it has ceased to serve its purpose as the northern pillar of their defences on the ridge system. From the south the advance worked its way yesterday a mile northwards along the ridge towards Passchendaele, and that ultimate height is now ripe to fall at the next blow. The fifth and, as we confidently hope, the final stage in the battle of the ridge is not likely to be long delayed. The German resistance is crumbling visibly before the consummate efficiency of Sir Douglas Haig's irresistible advance. Five days ago the backbone of the enemy's defensive system was broken, but, in the interval between that attack and yesterday's, they have been able to make no serious attempt to restore the position. No counter-attack has reached the British lines; such half-hearted efforts as have been made to launch them have been easily broken up by our artillery. On the other hand, Sir Douglas Haig has pursued the remorseless execution of his plans with almost equal contempt for the weather as for the enemy. Yesterday's attack, prepared and carried out in a persistent storm, launched over sodden and water-logged ground, could only be undertaken with success against an enemy very far reduced towards impotency. Its complete success in such adverse conditions is the measure of the progressive decline, material and moral, in the enemy's power. It promises absolute command of the gate of Flanders before the campaigning season closes. Winter may prohibit Sir Douglas Haig from entering through the gate which he has forced, but his victories encourage us to accept Sir Auckland Geddes's forecast yesterday that "it would not be long before we saw peace."

Picture House Problems.

A great lawyer visited "the pictures" in Dublin recently, and came home in a dissatisfied state of mind. He had seen an American melodrama which concluded with an elaborate "trial scene." "It was a very poor performance," he said; "the judge mishandled the case badly; he ought not to have allowed it to go to the jury at all." Few people observe this critical attitude to the "pictures." In spite of all that we hear about the use of the cinematograph for moral and educational purposes, its main function will continue to be the amusement of the crowd. With the possible exception of the gladiatorial shows in ancient Rome, it is the cheapest, the most accessible, and the most democratic kind of entertainment that the world has known. It caters alike for the greybeard and the child, and its present tendency is to create for them a common denominator of intelligence. It is achieving this end so successfully that for most people the "picture habit" has become as normal as the habit of taking meals. "The entire population of the United Kingdom visits a picture shows approximately once each fortnight." This astonishing statement occurs in the sober report (which we summarise to-day) of the evidence taken by the Cinema Commission of Inquiry, which was instituted by the National Council of Public Morals. The picture house can be an influence for bad more easily than it can be an influence for good. Since its influence is all-pervading and the average standard of intelligence to which it appeals is not high, the Commission has concluded rightly that "no social problem of the day demands more earnest attention." On the whole, the picture house emerges from the inquiry with a fairly clean character. The Commission finds that the evil of indecency in picture shows "is not nearly so widespread as is often assumed." It returns a verdict of "not proven" on the charge that the stimulus of exciting pictures has increased the volume of juvenile crime: on this point there was "a mass of conflicting evidence." The Commission has, no doubt, however, that to the youthful mind many films must suggest wrong ideas of life and conduct. Its recommendations are neither numerous nor novel. In the first place, it demands a stricter local censorship on the moral quality of films—for "that indecency does exist must be admitted." The local authorities should enforce existing regulations, and the public should help them by calling their attention to offensive pictures. The official censorship, too, must be strengthened. At present it is exercised by a board of film-producers, with Mr. T. P. O'Connor, M.P., as president. The Commission, while acknowledging the merit of this board's work, is in favour of a State censorship, and the three representatives of the film industry on the Commission give a conditional support to this recommendation. The real problem, however, is the protection of the morality of boys and girls without depriving them of a legitimate source of amusement. The Commission's treatment of this problem is not very helpful. It thinks that "additional provision" should be made for young people by means of special exhibitions of suitable films. It recommends the universal application of a rule against the attendance of children under fourteen years of age at picture houses after nine o'clock p.m. This latter suggestion is at once practicable and sound; but the proposal of special performances, on a large scale, for young boys and girls does not seem to us to be feasible. In the first place, the managers would offer a stubborn resistance to it. That might be overcome, but the hostility of the young people themselves would be a fatal obstacle. Anybody who has studied the psychology of childhood knows that it would rebel against such special treatment, and would be more inflamed than ever by the attraction of the performances which had been "put out of bounds." Schemes of improvement must be based on the assumption that the picture houses will continue to minister equally to people of both sexes and of all ages. That necessity will make the Censor's work exceedingly difficult, but we are sure that it is a necessity.

The Army's Food.

We take much for granted, and too frequently give others the credit for knowledge which they do not possess. It is possible, for instance, that some people still believe that our Armies requisition cattle and sheep from occupied territory, or that mobs of cattle and flocks of sheep follow in the rear of an army in the field. Certain particulars from an authoritative source are at our disposal, and they are of great interest. The provisioning of such armies as we have now in the field would be almost an impossibility without the supplies of frozen meat which they consume at the rate of 1lb. a day *per* man. When the frozen fresh meat becomes, by the exigencies of movement, unobtainable our men fall back on preserved, or bully, beef, and on what is known as the "Army ration." This is a tin containing a little over half a pound of cooked meat, with potatoes and other vegetables, which produces an excellent hot stew. A tin of this stew or of bully beef must be in every soldier's haversack as an emergency ration. The quantities of meat which our soldiers consume give an idea of the tonnage that is required to maintain our Armies in the field, and explain some of the difficulties in the provisioning of the civilian population of these islands. Thirty thousand tons are supplied monthly for our Army, and 25,000 tons for our Allies. The average price *per* lb., which was 6¼d. at the beginning of 1916, has now risen to 8¼d. Of course, there is ample cold storage accommodation at all the base ports abroad; only a small proportion of the meat is landed in England. Sixty *per cent.* of the supply to our Army is of frozen fresh meat. The remainder is preserved in one way or another. The latest addition to "bully" and "tinned ration" is canned pork and beans, so well known from Boston to the far-western mining camps in the United States. However arduous and dangerous may be the lot of our fighting men, we have the satisfaction of knowing that no other armies in the field were ever so well fed. The fastidious recruit may grumble at the rough service of his food, but there is never a growl at the lack of quantity. Our enemies, when taken prisoners, marvel at the plenty in our lines. The machinery which has worked these wonders can be utilised in peace-time for the better and cheaper feeding of the civilian population.

REPRISALS PROMISE.

SIR A. GEDDES ON NEAR PEACE PROSPECTS.

PREMIER'S MESSAGE.

Yesterday evening Sir Auckland Geddes, Minister of National Service, addressed a crowded public meeting in the Albert Hall, Nottingham. The gathering was under the auspices of the National War Aims Committee. The Mayor presided.

Sir Auckland Geddes brought a message from the Prime Minister, who regretted that the great pressure of public business prevented his attendance. There was, he added, no more hard-worked man in England at the present time than Mr. Lloyd George. The occasion was auspicious, for within the last few days really great victories had been won, and he was glad to acknowledge in that city the splendid prowess of the Sherwood Foresters and the Notts and Derby Regiment. (Cheers.) The time of test was coming on us; now we were fighting a spirit of a brutal militarism, and the only way to arrest that spirit was to bomb German towns. (Cheers.) This had been decided on in no spirit of vengeance, but with great reluctance and in obedience to the inexorable of life: "Thou shalt protect thy own women and children or shalt perish."

REPRISALS ON GERMAN TOWNS.

Almost the last thing the Prime Minister said to him when he left home was: "We as a nation have put our hands to the plough in this matter, and we shall see it through." (Renewed cheers.) Mr. Lloyd George asked him to state that he was glad, for the sake of the Government of this country and everyone in it, that we did not begin this practice of bombing towns. (Hear, hear.)

We had learnt two most dreadful lessons: the first was that there was an enormous amount of preventible ill-health, affecting both men and women, and that such ill-health clearly came in a large number of cases from the housing conditions. A large quantity also came from ignorance of the laws of health and of healthy living. We had an enormous war to wage after the war. (Hear, hear.) We had got to get the war out of the way first, and we could only do that by fighting on until the German democracy had burst its bonds and taken its place as a free democracy. Until this was done, the table could not be set for its post-war work. Not until the German democracy had taken control of its own fate would Belgium, Alsace Lorraine, and Italia Irredenta be really safe. He appealed to men through their organisations and to women directly to help in the work of national service. He had witnessed the development of the nation's war-power, and it had been a splendid spectacle.

It was, he concluded, a long struggle, and he could not honestly say that the end was very near, but it was coming if we got behind existing needs—and the need for the output of machines was the greatest need the country had got. It would not be long before we saw peace. (Cheers.)

CAPTAIN W. A. REDMOND, M.P., RECEIVES D.S.O.

MESSAGE FROM THE KING.

Mr. John Redmond, M.P., has received the following letter from Colonel Clive Wigram, one of His Majesty's private secretaries:—

York Cottage, Sandringham, Norfolk,
5th October, 1917.

DEAR MR. REDMOND,—The King was very glad to hear that your son had been given an immediate reward of D.S.O. at the front for gallantry on the field of battle.

His Majesty heartily congratulates you, and desires me to send you a copy of the statement of services for which this decoration was given, which His Majesty has just received from General Headquarters.—Yours very truly,

(Signed), CLIVE WIGRAM.

John Redmond, Esq., M.P.

The following is the gist of the statement which will be published in full in the *Gazette* in due course:—

CAPT. WILLIAM ARCHER REDMOND, IRISH GUARDS.

He was in command of a company holding a line of posts. During the night an extremely heavy barrage was put down by the enemy along the line of posts. As soon as it lifted the enemy attacked in strength (at least 200). He, who was in No. — post at the time, ordered a rapid fire to be opened. About a minute later a bomb fell in the post, and knocked out half of its occupants, obscuring the view of the remainder, and allowing the enemy to close up. Captain Redmond immediately led the survivors of his post out, and drove the enemy back, which enabled him to establish a new defensive line. He held this position against repeated attacks until day broke, when the enemy were seen to be retiring, carrying their wounded with them. He then collected all the survivors from the posts, and organised the defences. He reported to Battalion Headquarters when he had done this.

DEPUTY LIEUTENANT FOR COUNTY WESTMEATH.

The Right Honourable Albert Edward Baron Castlemaine, His Majesty's Lieutenant for the County of Westmeath, with the approval of the Lord Lieutenant, has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Kenneth Howard Bury, of Belvedere House, Mullingar, in the County of Westmeath, a Deputy Lieutenant for the County of Westmeath.

"Victory" Fête.—Notwithstanding somewhat unfavourable weather conditions, the "Victory" *Fête* recently held at De Vesci Gardens, Kingstown, for our sailor prisoners of war, was very successful. The attendance was large, and the liberal patronage accorded to the various stalls, prize-drawings, competitions, and amusements resulted in a net profit of £235, which will be applied by the Ladies' Committee of the Navy League for the benefit of our gallant defenders who have fallen into the hands of our enemies.

The Prime Minister and the Chancellor of the Exchequer will address a mass meeting of war savers at the Albert Hall, London, on October 22, in the afternoon.

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59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
TUESDAY NIGHT.

The expectations that Sir Douglas Haig would soon make a further move have been fulfilled, and an attack was made on a wide front early this morning. It is a continuation of the battle for the Passchendaele Ridge, the last portion of the high ground overlooking the plains of Flanders. Once the whole ridge is in the hands of the British the situation changes automatically in our favour, for all the German positions below will be dominated by our guns and men. When it is recalled what guns mean to-day it can be guessed that the German situation will be one of difficulty and danger. Sir Douglas Haig's message gives reason to hope that the advance of to-day has been as successful as the other three of the present series.

Much interest was excited by Sir Douglas Haig's announcement that the attack was made "in conjunction with our Allies on our left." The French assistance must have been useful, for it cannot have been a promenade. The Houthulst Forest lies in the angle formed by the road from Dixmude to Staden and the road from Langemarck to Staden. It has been described as the "northern pillar" of the Hindenburg line, and is sure to have been strongly defended. As a result of our recent advances, however, the French probably had the assistance of British artillery, which could at this point enfilade the enemy defences in the forest.

Memories are so short that it may be well to recall the earlier advances made by the French in this sector. On July 31st they attacked on the Ypres-Dixmude road, forced the passage of the Yser Canal, and captured the village of Bixschoote. They also co-operated in the British advance of August 16th, when they went forward on both sides of the Steenstraete-Dixmude road, crossed the little River Steenbeck, and captured all their objectives. The reasons, partly military and partly political, which caused them to take charge of this part of the line have been abundantly justified.

Sir Douglas Haig has now made four advances within twenty days. First came the battle of Menin road on September 20th, which yielded 3,243 prisoners. Six days later we attacked the Polygon Wood, and captured the greater part of it, together with 1,614 prisoners. Then there was an interval of eight days before, on October 4th, was fought the battle of Broodseinde Ridge, when 4,826 prisoners were added to the bag. Now, after only five days, Sir Douglas has struck again. In rejoicing over the gallantry of the infantry and the fine shooting of the artillery, do not let us forget the engineers and the men of the Labour battalions, who, by their strenuous work in the intervals between the actual fighting, make these rapid blows possible.

We have often groaned over the bad luck which has caused the weather to break just after many of our "pushes," and has apparently prevented us from reaping the full fruits of our victories. A writer in the *Evening News*, however, suggests that we may be mistaken in supposing that the bad weather catches the Commander-in-Chief unawares. He has, of course, expert meteorologists, armed with the best apparatus at his disposal. "Does Haig," he asks, "use the drier weather for hustling up his guns and ammunition and general supplies, and when his meteorological advisers tell him that a break is coming let fly at the Germans?" It is an ingenious theory, at all events.

The time is coming when we shall have another determined peace campaign on the part of the Germans. The *Deutsche Tageszeitung* says that Germany and Austria have determined on another peace offer, but the form has not yet been decided. The paper says that the information comes from an especially well-informed source. It is quite likely that it comes from the best possible source, and that it is inspired by Baron von Kuhlmann himself. This astute and conscienceless diplomat is working hard to secure a peace atmosphere, and will stick at nothing to gain his end.

The London papers are full of mysterious statements concerning the disclosures that are to be made here in connection with the Bolo peace plot. It is said that Germany was preparing, through numerous agitators and agents in certain centres, to launch a desperate pacific campaign among the civilian population. This sounds so definite that something ought to come out of it, though in the meantime it seems foolish to permit such statements to be made in public. They give all the suspected persons time to prepare, and to destroy any documents they may have that would tend to incriminate them.

There will be great regret at Aldershot at the departure of Sir Archibald Hunter, who is leaving the command after having held it for three years, in order, it is stated, to take up an important appointment at the War Office. Sir Archibald was a great friend of Lord Kitchener, at whose request he went to Aldershot just after the war started, though, being a glutton for fighting as he showed himself both in Egypt and South Africa, he would infinitely have preferred a command in the field. Even now, at 61, he is as fit as most men ten years his junior.

To Archibald an Archibald succeeds, if rumour speaks true, for Sir Archibald Murray, who was until the beginning of this year Commander-in-Chief in Egypt, is named as the next holder of the Aldershot Command. If this is correct, it is plain that he cannot have been responsible for the failure of the attack on Gaza, as has been generally assumed. There has been an extraordinary delay in the publication of the Gaza despatches, which have not yet appeared in the *Gazette*, though the despatches describing the capture of Bagdad, which took place just about the same time as the Gaza affair, were published nearly three months ago. If, as must be supposed, they exonerate Sir Archibald Murray, they ought surely, in justice to him, to be promptly made public.

When the hour comes for raids on Germany it is to be hoped that our Army authorities will allow as full a report as possible to be published. Our own excellent system of concealing the results of a raid will, in all probability, be followed by the Central Powers, and the Germans will know nothing except that a raid took place at a certain place. If any details can be gathered by our aviators and incorporated in our official report, they might reach the German people, and they would realise what they had brought upon themselves. I imagine that not one hundred people in London know where all the bombs fell when the Germans last bombed London. Certain people with experience know of certain localities, but very few know more than they have gathered from gossip or general knowledge.

The German newspapers just received in London contain no glowing periods of the London air raids, and only the official reports issued in Berlin and London are given. It seems certain that the papers have been forbidden to magnify these raids in the usual manner, and the prohibition is significant. It may be that the German Government realises that it has gone over the boundary, and, now that the turn of the German people is coming, fears for the consequences. On the other hand, it may think it wise to refrain from details known to be incorrect, in order that its own people may not be disheartened when the truth is known. This course, however, would be rather too late. For years the German people have exulted over our supposed sufferings from Zeppelin and aeroplane raids, and it is unlikely that they will forget the stories.

Viscount Weymouth's Grammar School, Carrickmacross.—Mr. A. T. Morris, B.A., Oxon, having accepted an important educational post at Tunbridge Grammar School, Kent, has resigned the principalship of the above school, which he has held for the past seven years with marked success. Mr. Morris took a large part in the social life and church work in the neighbourhood; and will be much missed by many friends, who wish him success in his new career.

FROM "THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY.

(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH THE PROPRIETORS OF *THE TIMES*.)

YESTERDAY'S ADVANCE.

We have given the Germans no rest, telegraphs the Special Correspondent of *The Times*, under yesterday's date. Early this morning we struck again, British and French together, and, driving for a definite and limited objective, we have once more grasped and hold all that we sought to grasp. At the deepest point the advance aimed at did not exceed 2,000 yards. In general, it was from 1,200 to 1,500 yards. All that was aimed at we achieved. Perhaps, to-day's operation had best be known as the Battle of Poelcappelle. The French may prefer to call it the Battle of Maugelarre, as signalising their particular share in the common triumph. For us Poelcappelle, though already morally in our hands, may be said to have been the centre and most notable point of our advance. Poelcappelle, or what is left of it before us, offered no resistance to-day, though the ruins of the brewery and the cottages attached thereto, 500 yards or so from the village proper, were defended with some stubbornness. Here, as elsewhere, the going was very bad, and one hears stories of German snipers posted in trees, of which some still remain intact, being troublesome. Just below here the garrison of Adler Farm appear also to have fought, but in the main the earlier stage of our advance was comparatively easy, the Germans either running or surrendering, and, unlike some other parts of the line, forward positions here seem to have been held in comparatively little strength. The German shelling before the attack spoken of above was heavier here than in many parts of the line. That, and the mud, with the snipers in the trees, are the things which the wounded who come down from there have most to complain of.

DEATH OF THE SULTAN OF EGYPT.

The Times regrets to announce the death of the Sultan of Egypt, Hussein Kamel, which occurred yesterday after a long and, at times, painful illness. He ascended the Throne as first Sultan of Egypt in December, 1914. The Sultan Hussein is succeeded by his youngest brother, Prince Ahmed Fuad, who was born in 1868, and was educated largely in Italy, and is very broad-minded in his ideas. As regards Egypt, he has always shown much public spirit, and has interested himself in all projects of national importance, particularly in education. He has been noted for his consistently friendly attitude towards this country, and is certain to pursue the same loyal and steadfast policy as his predecessor, which has proved so beneficial to Egypt and the Egyptians. The late Sultan never faltered, says *The Times*, in his fidelity to the British connection, which he had long recognised as essential to the welfare of his people. A wide experience in many important posts of an administrative character, and as a Minister, had given him early in life a practical training, such as Eastern Princes seldom receive. He had been brought into close touch with the masses, and he understood and felt for their wants. His unquestioned loyalty, his strong common-sense, and his intimate knowledge of the Fellaheen made him the trusted adviser of all the great British administrators who have built up modern Egypt. The services he rendered his subjects, and his labours in their behalf, were visible to all men, and he had not reigned long before his people recognised in him a Sultan after their own heart. Happily, the character and the past life of Prince Ahmed Fuad lead to a confident expectation that he will follow the wise and patriotic example of his distinguished brother.

OUR AIR SERVICES.

Beyond all question, says *The Times*, the Government are committed now to a use of the Air Services which will not be limited to the mere assistance of operations on land or at sea, but will recognise them as capable of acting independently. How soon and how far they can achieve it will clearly depend, just as much as it has always depended, on the provision of men and machines in greater quantity than the constant requirements of the principal fighting front. No one in his senses would weaken the forces under Sir Douglas Haig. In that respect, at all events, there has been no change of policy, and no demand for it. The inference, therefore, is that the time is at hand when the progress of construction and training will admit of systematic attacks on Germany by air, not directed against "women and children," but extending from a new angle the offensive against strategic points, which is daily prosecuted by our bombing machines in Flanders. Fortunately the Air Services have for some time been engaging the special attention of a singularly cool-headed and resourceful administrator in the person of General Smuts. What we need next is a further step in co-ordination, to include strategy as well as production, and to provide the same sort of thinking staff for the Air Services as already exists in the case of the Army and Navy. That is the real line of advance, and if General Smuts can carry us this further stage, he will do the greatest service which he has yet rendered to the war and the Empire. What is immediately possible, and what we look to General Smuts to give us, is the framework of a single service, with larger objects and reconstituted *personnel*, capable of putting to its fullest use the proved superiority of individual British airmen.

THE PEEL HEIRLOOMS.

An order of the Court has just been obtained, *The Times* is informed, sanctioning the sale of the remaining contents of Drayton Manor, Tamworth, built in the 18th century by Sir Robert Peel, the first Baronet, and lavishly embellished by his famous son with objects of art, pictures, and fine furniture during the first half of the last century. The fine things which Sir Robert Peel collected with such care and taste have been dispersed by those who came after him. Although the collection has been so depleted from time to time, there yet remains a large quantity to be sold, and the sale will be one of considerable importance. There are, we understand, about a dozen portraits by Sir Thomas Lawrence, and these alone would add distinction to any auction sale.

Sir Horace Plunkett and Sir Francis Hopwood left London yesterday for Ireland.

MR. CHURCHILL ON KAISERISM.

WORLD'S WRECK FOR AIMS OF ONE MAN.

Mr. Winston Churchill, Minister of Munitions, addressed a gathering of 4,000 munition workers, men and women, in the Metropolitan area last night. He was accorded an enthusiastic reception.

Mr. Churchill began: We are moving in a goodly company of Allies of the great peoples of great democratic nations towards a common end. We are moving in agreement with the opinions of hundreds of millions of men, and of other races, all animated by a single purpose, and all working towards one goal.

The two fundamental vices of the German system—I do not speak of brutalities which it has been guilty of—are, first, that it puts the State in the place of religion, or in place of any abstract conception of justice or of virtue amongst men. It declares, for instance, that the interests of the German Empire are not only superior to all other interests, but are the only interests worth considering in the world, and that for the sake of those interests there is no crime that is not justified, no destruction or torment that may not be inflicted on the rest of the world. So break the solemn faith of treaties—the Fatherland requires it; hack a way through Belgium—German interests cannot wait; sink merchant ships, both enemy and neutral; it is by order of the Government, and it leaves "no trace behind." What does it matter if the tears of mankind overflow if Germany prospers?

Is it not extraordinary that the German people, a people capable of such great organisation, such tremendous effort, should have marred and tarnished all their military glory and repute by a lot of petty, miserable brutalities, and meannesses, and treacheries, and ignominies, and ferocities, to such an extent that all their great deeds will for ever be marred and blotted out in the great book of human fame? (Cheers.)

As late as the twentieth century we have seen this most intelligent and scientifically educated people content to be practically ruled by the Kaiser, independent of Parliamentary institutions. Why, it is 300 years or more since we have tolerated such a system in our country, but the Germans, with their intelligence, remain in a degraded tutelage, and have resigned themselves to their Government, body and soul.

ANOTHER HAMMER-BLOW IN FLANDERS.

ANGLO-FRENCH ADVANCE ON WIDE FRONT.

FIGHTING IN A RAIN-STORM.

MANY IMPORTANT POINTS TAKEN: 1,000 PRISONERS.

Rapidly following on his advance of last Thursday, Sir Douglas Haig, in conjunction with our French Allies, has administered another hammer-blow to the enemy on the Flanders front.

At 5.20 yesterday morning, in a persistent rain-storm and over sodden ground, our troops attacked on a wide front, and carried the greater part of their objectives. Sir Douglas Haig's words are that the advance was attended by "very successful results." The number of prisoners so far counted exceeds 1,000.

We have captured the town of Poelcappelle and other important points which have hitherto given much trouble. Irish troops are taking part. They are in the struggle for Houthulst Wood, where heavy fighting is taking place. The French have also reached the outskirts of the wood after crossing the Broembeek stream, which was in flood. The French report the capture of three important villages.

BRITISH OFFICIAL.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, FRANCE, TUESDAY, 10.28 A.M.

At 5.20 this morning we again attacked on a wide front north-east and east of Ypres in conjunction with our Allies on our left. Our reports indicate that satisfactory progress is being made on all parts of the front.

The weather continues to be stormy.

10.50 P.M.

Heavy rain fell continuously during the afternoon and evening yesterday, causing the ground to become sodden and very difficult for the passage of troops. Notwithstanding the stormy weather and the waterlogged condition of the ground, our troops succeeded in launching an attack at 5.20 a.m. to-day in conjunction with the French on our left, with very successful results.

The front of attack extended from a point south-east of Broodseinde to St. Jansbeek, one mile north-east of Bixschoote. On the extreme right Australian troops moved forward over the crest of the ridge east and north-east of Broodseinde, securing all their objectives. On the right centre a third line Territorial division, comprising the Manchester, East Lancashire, and Lancashire Fusilier Regiments, advanced one mile northwards along the ridge in the direction of Passchendaele, capturing all its objectives, under the most trying and difficult circumstances, with great determination and gallantry.

In the centre, between the main ridge and Poelcappelle, a considerable advance was made, which includes the capture of many fortified farms and concreted redoubts. In the left centre we have completed the capture of Poelcappelle. On the extreme left of the British attack English, Welsh, and Irish troops and the Guards have taken all their objectives, and gained the outskirts of the Forest of Houthulst, nearly two miles north-north-west of Poelcappelle.

On our left flank the French crossed the Broembeek stream, which was in flood, and have also gained the outskirts of the Forest of Houthulst, capturing all their objectives, including many hamlets and many fortified localities. More than one thousand prisoners have already passed through the collecting stations.

FRENCH OFFICIAL.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

In Belgium we attacked, at 5.30 a.m., in connection with the British Army, the German positions south of the Forest of Houthulst, between Draibank and Weindendreet.

The fighting continues, and is developing in our favour.

TUESDAY NIGHT.

In Belgium the attack launched by us this morning developed in conditions particularly brilliant. After having crossed the marshy brook of the Broembeek our troops carried, with admirable dash, on a front of two kilometres five hundred metres, the defences piled up by the enemy, despite the difficulties of the ground and the bad weather conditions.

The villages of St. Jean, of Mangelaare, and of Veldhoek, as well as numerous farms which were organised as blockhouses, are in our possession. Our advance, which attained an average depth of two kilometres, has brought us to the southern fringe of the Forest of Houthulst. Our Air Service, despite the wind, which was blowing a gale, co-operated actively in the attack, turning their machine guns from a low altitude on the enemy infantry and keeping in touch with other arms.

The number of prisoners so far counted exceeds three hundred, of whom twelve are officers.

GERMAN OFFICIAL.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

Army Group of Prince Rupprecht.—In Flanders the artillery duel, in spite of the stormy and rainy weather, was strong between the Houthulst Wood and Zandivoorde. In the evening the enemy concentrated his gun-fire into violent outbursts against some sectors. After an agitated night the artillery activity increased on the whole front to drum-fire.

On both sides of the Staden-Boesinghe Railway and north of the Ypres-Menin road English infantry advanced to the attack. The fighting is in progress.

TUESDAY EVENING.

In Flanders a fresh battle developed from the fighting earlier in the day, which still continues between Draaibank and Gheluvelt (18 kilometres). In spite of repeated assaults the gain of territory, according to the latest reports, is limited to a stretch of territory between Draaibank and Poelcappelle. For the rest the attacks were repulsed.

LORD RHONDDA AND MEAT PRICES.

CONCESSION OF MINIMUM UNTIL JUNE, 1918.

FARMERS MUST HELP.

Lord Rhondda made an important statement yesterday about meat prices. He has extended the operation of the official minimum until June 30th, 1918.

In brief, the effect of Lord Rhondda's announcement is that the maximum wholesale price of 8s. per stone for home killed beef will continue from November to 1st July, 1918, and from that date to the end of 1918 the price will be 7s. 4d.

Retail prices are based on the wholesale prices, plus 2½d. per pound, or 20 per cent., whichever is the less. Retail prices from November to 1st July next will show a reduction in the lower prices now prevailing, and these for the second half of 1918 will provide a further reduction of about 1d. per pound.

Lord Rhondda, accompanied by Mr. Prothero, yesterday afternoon received a deputation representative of agricultural interests on the question of meat prices.

Referring to the published figures suggesting that maximum meat prices were unremunerative to farmers, Lord Rhondda said he had only received estimates, and hardly any exact figures based on accounts.

Further, they assumed that in January no farmer would get more than 60s. live weight for his beast. That price applied to second grade. Cattle of the description prepared by Army cattle of higher quality would in any case get a price. Beasts yielding 60 per cent. meat, if sold at maximum prices fixed for civilian meat at 7s 4d. per stone, would realise practically 70s. live weight. Farmers and traders realised as much as he did the danger of high prices for cattle in the middle of the year, but he was glad to say that, although the price of other commodities had not yet been checked, during the past few weeks the wholesale prices of meat has been steadily going down. He must recognise, however, that there was serious danger of a general shortage of meat next year owing to a general world famine. Other countries were already on meat rations, and if Sir Arthur Yapp's appeal for economy failed, he would, without hesitation, have to apply compulsory rationing in this country. He was bearing this in mind in making his future arrangements.

The price of oil cakes had been appreciably reduced during the last few weeks, and he anticipated further reductions and somewhat better supplies. He regretted the prices of store cattle had not come down so rapidly as they had hoped, partly owing to the War Office coming into the market, but supplies of stores were now rapidly coming in, and there had been on the market in the past four weeks 50 per cent. more than in the corresponding weeks of last year. He must remain obdurate in the maintenance of the 60s. live weight basis as the figure which he intended should be ultimately reached.

He was prepared to continue the operation of the December price of 67s. per cwt., live weight, for Army cattle, and 8s. per stone of 8lbs., dead weight, for civilian supplies, and to postpone the coming into operation of the lowest maximum price until the end of next June. In view of probable world shortage, and the consequent necessity of encouraging production, farmers must reckon their profits over a period and base their calculations on the whole of their operations.

MILK FOR CHILDREN.

With regard to milk, he thought they recognised that farmers had been treated generously. He had serious misgivings as to the effect of the high price of milk on poor families, and he hoped to be able to make some arrangement by which milk would be available at cheaper prices for children.

Mr. Prothero expressed his satisfaction at the way in which Lord Rhondda had recognised the difficulties of agriculturists, and he felt confident that the whole agricultural community would do its duty to the nation.

In the discussion that followed, Mr. Beville Stanier, M.P., Chairman of the Central Chamber of Agriculture; Mr. Batchelor, on behalf of the Scottish Farmers' Union; Mr. Wright, on behalf of the Irish farmers, and Mr. Pearce Ellis assured Lord Rhondda that the postponement of the lowest maximum price would check the slaughter of immature cattle, and secure increased supplies during the spring months.

Mr. Adeane, of the Royal Agricultural Society, and Mr. Minneley, of the National Farmers' Union, while expressing thanks to Lord Rhondda, urged that farmers ought to receive considerably higher prices, and pressed Lord Rhondda to make further concessions.

In replying, Lord Rhondda reiterated that he had now given them a basis of prices to work upon for fourteen months ahead. This should enable them to buy their stores and make their plans accordingly. He recognised prices were not as high as they would have liked, but they must admit the nation was entitled to ask sacrifices from all classes. Farmers were no less patriotic than other classes, and he felt confident that, recognising he had done his best to meet them, they would make every effort to produce the maximum amount of meat possible.

ARMY AND NAVY PAY.

PRIME MINISTER'S SYMPATHY WITH A DEPUTATION.

Representatives of the Parliamentary Committee, together with members of the Management Committee of the General Federation of Trade Unions, headed by Mr. Appleton, Secretary of the Federation, waited upon the Prime Minister at Downing street yesterday afternoon. The deputation expressed pleasure at the attempt made to remove grievances in the Navy and Army in respect to pay, but pointed out that, in their opinion, not sufficient had been done for the able seamen and stokers, the privates in the Marines, and the privates in the Army. They urged an immediate add of 100 per cent. to the basic rate of pay, but, recognising the difficulty in finding all the money necessary, pointed out that this might be given in the form of deferred pay.

The Prime Minister said they would understand that it was impossible for him, without consultation with the Committee which had been giving consideration to this question of pay, to make any definite pronouncement. He could, however, express his sympathy with the object of the deputation, and his appreciation of the manner in which they had presented the case. He undertook to refer the matter back to the Cabinet Committee, over which Sir Edward Carson was presiding.

Land Commission Annuities.—At the Enniscorthy Quarter Sessions 30 farmers were decreed at the suit of the Irish Land Commission for annuities due under the Land Purchase Acts.

ANOTHER SURPRISE FOR THE ENEMY.

YESTERDAY'S ADVANCE.

BELGIAN PLAINS DOMINATED.

IMPORTANT POSITIONS TAKEN AFTER HARD FIGHTING.

The Press Association's Special Correspondent at British Headquarters in France telegraphed last evening:—

When the full story of to-day's splendid victory comes to be told, it will form an amazing narrative of human endurance and dogged achievement. The character of the ground across which our men had to fight their way baffles description. I must leave it to your fancy to picture a waste of shellholes, often so close set that there is no foothold between them, brim high with water, and bounded by knee-deep ooze, the whole being incessantly swept by high explosives, shrapnel, and machine-gun fire.

Even many of the pill-boxes and fortified works in this area were silted up by the wind-driven slime; yet across more than twelve hundred yards of such ground our troops floundered and struggled and fought their way, gaining practically the whole of the limits set to the day's operations, with such few trifling exceptions that the clearing up can only be a matter of time.

The Germans were taken by surprise. Prisoners frankly confess that the possibility of an attack in such weather and over such a terrain had not caused them the least apprehension. How little, indeed, the Boches expected to be thus rudely disturbed is best shown by the fact that two of the divisions which had to bear the brunt of the onslaught only completed taking over the line at 3 o'clock this morning. The disorganisation caused by our onslaught upon troops wholly unfamiliar with their surroundings, and still dog-tired from their long march, may be conjectured.

Amongst the prisoners are men from the 195th Division, just arrived from the Russian front, and most heartily wishing themselves back there. This is the third division from the East which has been knocked out within the past five days.

The operation has been so completely successful, as far as I can gather, for communication is very bad, and, therefore, necessarily very slow, that there is not much of moment to add to my message of this morning. About 2 o'clock this afternoon word came back that Alder Farm and Poelcapelle Brewery, both places which had given trouble, had been captured by us. Wire and water was causing considerable trouble and delay at the spot called Waterfields, but the latest news is that the difficulties hereabouts were being overcome by our indefatigable troops. The situation at the Poelderhoek Chateau is still obscure. Apparently our men have dug in all around the place, and it is only a question of how long the Boche machine gunners will continue to hold out.

Our casualties are reported as light. The number of prisoners will, doubtless, run into four figures, but the official *communiqué* will impart more definite intelligence upon this point than I have means of getting. Prisoners are very crestfallen, and confess that these repeated hammer-blows by us are causing demoralisation and disorganisation in the German Army.

The day has been fine, with high clouds and good visibility—a condition of which both airmen and gunners have taken the fullest advantage.

Whilst I cannot as yet make any reference to the troops who have shared in this victory, I may say that the Australians have only played a comparatively small part in the whole, and that the main brunt has been borne by our home battalions. It has truly been a great day, and the plains of Belgium lie more at our feet than at any time since the dark days of 1914.

ENEMY PUSHED BACK TWO-THIRDS OF A MILE.

In an earlier message the correspondent telegraphed:—

At dawn this morning the British and Australians again attacked the enemy along the Flanders ridges, and pushed him back to a depth in some places of about two-thirds of a mile. The battle extended further northwards than the previous operations since September 20th, the French taking up the fight on our left.

The weather was just about as bad as it could be last evening, blowing a gale and raining in torrents, but before midnight the clouds broke, the stars shone, and the small hours were quite clear, enabling troops to be brought into their starting positions, if necessary, under much more favourable conditions than had seemed probable. The ground, however, had been rendered very bad by the deluge, and going was extremely difficult. Fortunately, the Broodseinde Ridge is sandy, and, therefore, drains fairly well.

It is clear the Germans were surprised by our attack this morning, since they could scarcely have anticipated that we should endeavour to advance under such conditions. They themselves had attempted to counter-attack what they evidently regard as the weak link in our front around Reutel. Yesterday afternoon airmen reported columns moving down the Menin road, and the enemy artillery putting down a heavy barrage along this part of our line. But our gunners got on to the road and broke into such a crashing bombardment that the effort was broken up with heavy losses to the enemy.

The general situation in Flanders since the last battle on the 4th of October is sufficiently well understood at home to obviate any necessity for me to outline it. That the Germans are thoroughly alive to the seriousness of their recent losses is well evidenced by the tremendous efforts at stonewalling which they are making. New and picked divisions are being hurried up, and the concentration of guns is for ever increasing. That some confusion still exists behind the German lines is shown by many signs, and there is no doubt that the success which has attended the British methods of dealing with this new form of liquid defences in depth is causing the enemy great perplexity.

POSITIONS STRONGLY HELD.

Our troops this morning found the Huns holding their front much more heavily than in any of the previous battles of this series, which suggests a return to the earlier defensive tactics of depending upon man power rather than upon concrete. Rifle fire was not as heavy as usual, doubtless because the weapons were largely clogged with mud, and the bayonet and the bomb were the principal weapons in the close fighting.

Walking wounded coming back are bleached and caked to their eyebrows with the wet and the muck, yet wonderfully cheerful withal.

The preliminary barrage was, I hear, prolonged rather more than on previous occasions. The early reports coming back from the battle line, scrappy and brief as they necessarily are, are very satisfactory. Some difficulty was experienced in getting away owing to the badness of the ground and the poorness of the light, but the advance, although slow, seems to have been general. Here and there points of strong resistance were encountered. Daisy Wood was found to be full of German machine gunners, who were dealt with by tactics which are believed to have been quite successful. Near Reutel there was some stiff fighting, but this has apparently gone in our favour. There was a hot struggle in and about the Poelderhoek Chateau, which lies considerably to the east of the ruins of the village, and was defended by many enemy machine guns. Although the news is not yet definite, it is believed that the situation here has been cleared up.

The brewery on the eastern outskirts of Poelcapelle is another centre of strong resistance. Prisoners are coming in freely, some hundreds having already been collected in the cages. Visibility became good after sunrise, and, notwithstanding the high wind, our flying men are doing splendid work. They are chasing the enemy aeroplanes whenever they see them. At about 7 o'clock six Hun machines were being hotly engaged by one of our formations over the German lines at a height of nearly ten thousand feet.

The German wireless will certainly make a great point of our failure once again to capture Gheluvelt. As far as I know, we are not attacking it, and I imagine it is of no special importance to us. Otherwise we could have taken it long ago.

The very latest news I hear just before closing this despatch is that the Germans are counter-attacking heavily astride the Ypres-Roulers railway, but our people seem quite content with the situation here. The German retaliatory barrage has been ragged and not very strong as a whole, although certain groups of guns are shooting fiercely at local spots. It is already pretty clear that this will be another fine day for our arms, and for those of our gallant Allies, who, I understand, are getting on magnificently, and sending back hundreds of prisoners.

WITH THE FRENCH TROOPS.

The Press Association Correspondent on the French front in Flanders telegraphed yesterday:—

The French Army under the command of General Anthoine, forming the left wing of the combined army in Flanders, attacked this morning, in co-operation with the British armies, in the direction of Mangelaere and the forest of Houthulst. Leaving their water-logged shell craters on the western bank of the sluggish stream, half ditch, half river, which in this part of its course is variously called St. John's Brook and Steenbeck, after a bitterly cold and windy night, following on an evening of soaking rain, the French infantry crossed the brook shortly after five o'clock this morning. They ploughed their way with a steady determination through the sodden morass in front of them, driving the Germans out as they advanced to the first line of their objectives, which was reached with slight loss in little over two hours. By eight o'clock news had been signalled back that the French were in possession of Gambetta Farm, immediately south of Mangelaere and Victoria Farm, at the point where the Corverbeek Brook flows into St. John's Brook.

On the extreme left the village of Draaibank, in the angle between the Corverbeek, which flows westwards out of the forest of Houthulst and St. John's Brook, was in our hands, and the main advance between Corverbeek and Mangelaere continued.

Three hundred prisoners, two guns, four machine guns, and a quantity of other small material were captured by the French during the first hours of the attack.

The weather was windy, and fairly clear, and as the day advanced it grew better, but the south-westerly gale which has been blowing since Sunday afternoon shows no immediate signs of abating. Meanwhile the operation progressed more rapidly than could have been expected. By 11 o'clock the French infantry captured and passed Mangelaere, and at the moment of telegraphing are within 1,000 yards of the Forest of Houthulst, on the right, where they are advancing in touch with British troops, and at about the same distance from it along the Corverbeek, on the left.

The position of the Germans in the forest must obviously have become one of extreme discomfort. This vast tangle of trees, wire, and dug-outs, measuring two and three-quarter miles across from north to south, and three and a half across from west to east, is the principal German artillery centre on this front. Already under the fire of General Anthoine's magnificent artillery and the pressure of the British pushing their front out towards the east, the Boches in the forest had become alarmed, and withdrew a certain proportion of their artillery, especially the heaviest pieces. There are, however, still enough batteries left in the forest to make it a very serious obstacle. The enemy is, doubtless, prepared to offer a formidable resistance before abandoning a position of such importance on which he has spent so much time and labour. On the other hand, as the British from positions they held last night at Poelcapelle looked over the rear of the forest and roads leading into it from the east, and as the French are now barely a thousand yards away from it on the west, and an enormous number of guns are in position to bear on it the Germans in the forest must be wishing themselves anywhere but where they are, especially as the forest lies lower than the surrounding country, and their dug-outs, after three days of such rain as only falls in Flanders, must be flooded.

To-day's splendid results were obtained in face of the most disheartening conditions. General Anthoine's wonderful gunners who enabled him to make the advance of July 31st and August 16th with the loss in the first battle of 280 men and in the second of 300, this time had to make their preparations in three days, during which the weather was constantly unfavourable, and during the greater part of the time outrageous. The country is swimming with the recent rains, and the lot of the men who had to spend the night before the attack crouching in watery shell-craters, soaked to the skin, with a bitter wind howling over them, and the enemy doing what he could to add to their discomfort defies description. Fortunately, the enemy artillery reaction was feebler than might have been expected.

SPECIAL EXTRA.

AMERICAN WAR AIMS.

DR. WILSON ON A PREMATURE PEACE.

A New York telegram, dated Tuesday, says:—The newly-organised League for National Unity, which was created with the approval of President Wilson, is preparing an intensive campaign for the unification of public opinion regarding the war. In a brief address at the White House yesterday, President Wilson is reported to have told the leaders of the League, which includes the chief elements of the national life—religious, political, labour, and agricultural—that the talk of premature peace was subversive of the nation's aims. America, he said, ever keeps in mind that hostilities should end only when Germany is defeated, and her autocracy superseded by democracy. This is the issue which the American people should always keep foremost, in order to avoid being misled into the by-ways of thought resulting from the scattering of the force of public opinion. A German success would not only mean the prevention of the spread of democracy, but the possible suppression of that already existing. The leader of the League declared that the object of the movement was to create a medium through which loyal Americans of all classes, sections, creeds, and parties could give expression to the fundamental purpose of the United States to carry on the war to a successful conclusion.

EDISON'S "INVISIBLE SHIPS."

U-BOAT PERILS MINIMISED.

The New York Correspondent of the *Daily Telegraph* writes:—Shipping circles here are intensely interested in the announcement from Washington to-day, that the preliminary tests of Thomas Edison's "invisible ship" have proved successful, and the hope is expressed that the general adoption of the scheme will effectively thwart German piracy. The plan is not any marvellous invention, but consists merely of a marine "camouflage" to create a steamship without a skyline. Any freighter can quickly and easily be converted. A vessel so equipped is absolutely invisible at a short distance, it is declared. The difficulty of a black smoke trail is overcome by vessels carrying 300 tons of hard coal, or sufficient to take them across the danger zone.

Many ships of this character have returned from Europe without any evidence that they were observed by a submarine, and the members of the Shipping Board believe that they are justified in pronouncing the plan a success, and publishing details.

AMERICA AND NEUTRAL SHIPPING.

The New York Correspondent of the *Daily Telegraph* cables:—I hear that the Exports Administrative Board has decided not to grant a licence for the release of the Dutch ship, Nieuw, Amsterdam, now in an Atlantic port, loaded with food for the Committee for the Relief of Belgium, as no assurances have been given that the vessel will return to the jurisdiction of the United States. Negotiations had been going on for several days, but the Administrative Board has remained firm in the position taken up, and it is reported on excellent authority that the same policy will apply to all neutral ships aggregating more than 400,000 tons, which are now tied up in American ports. This means that neutral tonnage, even though it be not bound for neutral countries contiguous to Germany must meet the conditions of the Government that it will not seek to "disappear" if licences are to be issued. It seems at the time of cabling, and judging from the attitude of the neutral representatives here, that the United States will secure the use of neutral tonnage, either by voluntary agreement or commandeering, and will apply all such tonnage, if the circumstances warrant, to the needs of the Allies. There are about sixty ships in New York Harbour under the Dutch flag, whose agents do not wish to charter the vessels to the United States, because they say the tonnage is needed to take foodstuffs to Holland.

WHAT IS THE STATE OF GERMANY?

A Zurich telegram says:—Travellers from Germany state that German officials, before giving permits to cross the frontier, compelled travellers to take a solemn oath not to speak abroad of the state of affairs in Germany.

SWEDISH CABINET CRISIS.

The *Daily Telegraph's* Own Correspondent at Copenhagen says:—Mr. Branting's paper does not agree with the King's efforts to form a Coalition Ministry. It strongly recommends a Ministry of Liberals and Socialists, and believes in the concord of the two parties regarding the decisive question—namely, a democratic revision of the Constitution, but the paper goes on to say that, notwithstanding the result of the last election, a Government, in which Conservatives have no voice, is hardly conceivable.

RACING SELECTIONS.

LISTOWEL MEETING.
(FROM THE SPORTING LIFE OF TO-DAY.)
Kerry Plate—Miss Devlin.
Stand Plate—Tirhugh.
Killarney Plate—Mariano.
Island Plate—Ravensthorpe.
Maiden Steeplechase—Jimmy Rafter.
(FROM THE SPORTSMAN OF TO-DAY.)
Kerry Plate—Glencarbry.
Stand Plate—Yours Only.
Killarney Plate—Major Edwards' selected.
Island Plate—Privit.
Maiden Steeplechase—Well Well.

NEWMARKET MEETING.
(FROM THE SPORTING LIFE OF TO-DAY.)
Jockey Club Handicap—Salamandra.
Great Eastern Railway Handicap—Troutsdale.
Linton Plate, Division I.—Kamarad.
Linton Plate, Division II.—Bapaume.
Hopeful Stakes—Syndrian.
Three-Year-Old Handicap—Count Warbler.
Wednesday Nursery I.—Elfin.
Wednesday Nursery II.—Abiad.
(FROM THE SPORTSMAN OF TO-DAY.)
Jockey Club Handicap—St. Eloi or Salamandra.
Great Eastern Railway Handicap—Diadem.
Linton Plate, Division I.—Kamarad.
Linton Plate, Division II.—Bapaume or Shenley Boy.
Hopeful Stakes—Syndrian or Lady Symline.
Three-Year-Old Handicap—Grand Fleet or Count Warbler.
Wednesday Nursery I.—Gallop Along.
Wednesday Nursery II.—Abiad.

THE REICHSTAG AND THE ARMY.

IMPERIAL CHANCELLOR'S STATEMENT.

SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET PASSED.

A Berlin telegram says that Monday's sitting of the Committee of the Reichstag was attended by Dr. Michaelis, Herr Helfferich, Herr von Kuehlmann, Admiral von Capelle, Count Roedern, General von Stein, Under Secretaries of State, and the representatives of the Federal Council, Apart from the members of the Committee, numerous other Deputies were present.

Soon after the opening of the sitting, Dr. Michaelis rose and said—Complaints have been made that the propaganda of the Fatherland Party was conducted in an impermissible manner by the officials. Regarding the position of the Imperial officials under me, I should like to lay down the following principles and to add that the same principles apply to Prussian officials too. All officials have a right to their political opinion. They may belong to any party so long as it does not endanger the Empire. Regarding their political activity in public, officials naturally must observe reticence, so that the public shall not lose faith in their impartiality. Should a superior officer induce his subordinate to take up an attitude in favour of any party, that would be an abuse of his official position, and entirely impermissible. I do not desire that a superior official should put any political pressure whatever upon a subordinate. These principles apply to all political parties, including the Fatherland Party. Should there be any deviation from these principles, I can only leave it to you to bring the case to the knowledge of the superior central authorities, who will examine the case, and if necessary intervene in a suitable manner. I intend to see that these principles shall be obeyed.

THE ARMY AND POLITICS.

As regards the Army, all political propaganda is excluded. I, and the Governments of the Federal States, are endeavouring to regard all political leanings with complete objectiveness, and to do full justice to every political opinion. I do so because I am convinced that every political party honestly desires to do its best for the common weal. It is highly regrettable that this mutual faith should have been pushed into the background in the course of the controversy, especially during the last few weeks, and that mutually antagonistic forms of propaganda should have been the result.

In the subsequent discussion, an Independent Socialist declared that he was not satisfied with these generalities. He at least expected that the Chancellor would have taken a definite stand regarding Saturday's occurrences, and that he would have told the House whether he approved the conduct of the Vice-Chancellor and the Minister of War.

A National Liberal member declared that as regards the Peace Resolution of July 19th, he took up a position different from that of the majority, but he was bound to say that the result of Saturday's plenary sitting of the Reichstag had disappointed him all the more, as it might have been expected that the sitting would end without friction. He regretted the form and tone of the interruptions during the speeches from the Government benches, by which the reputation of the Reichstag, the rights of which it was decided to extend, had not been improved. On the other hand, the speaker said, it could not be concealed that the way in which Dr. Helfferich had replied had produced an exciting feeling. He demanded that politics should be kept out of the Army.

The Minister of War (General von Stein) followed. He stated that, with millions of men in the Army, many things had developed in a different fashion to that which the Army Command wished. When errors occurred, suitable orders to meet the case were given. There was no intention whatever to bring politics into the Army, but, on the contrary, it was desired to prevent such a thing. Where such orders were not effective, the Minister declared, action was taken, and any attempt to make propaganda for any party was dealt with. The cost of the propaganda service was covered out of the general funds.

Dr. Helfferich, Vice-Chancellor, stated that he had said all he had to say at Saturday's plenary sitting, before he left the platform, so that the belief that he had broken off his speech in view of the disturbances which occurred was erroneous. No objection against the statements contained in his last speech had been made to-day by any of the speakers, and no one had been able to discover anything to take exception to in his speech. If fault were found with the tone of it, it must not be forgotten that before uttering a word he was greeted with unfriendly shouts, and that he was hardly able to finish a sentence without shouts and interruptions from the House.

The Chancellor again arose, and stated that the Imperial Government authorities had called for reports from subordinate officers regarding the influencing of lowers ranks by higher officials, in the interests of the Fatherland Party. The material to hand, he said, was exceedingly slight, and was limited to five cases of minor importance, which had come to the knowledge of the Government through the postal authorities. In all these cases necessary action would be taken.

Various speakers who followed the Chancellor pointed out that the speeches by Herr Michaelis and General von Stein had had a calming effect.

An Independent Socialist moved a resolution to abolish the propaganda service, and only to allow propaganda which refers to military service.

This was opposed by a Conservative member, whereupon a Social Democrat demanded a promise from the Chancellor that all political agitation should be kept out of the Army.

Dr. Michaelis, in reply, declared that no political agitation would be carried on in the Army, even for instructive purposes; but he said that he was unable to make any statement at present regarding instructive propaganda at home.

The Independent Socialist motion was then rejected by the Committee, and the Supplementary Estimates for the office of Vice-Chancellor were adopted without alteration, only the Social Democrats voting against them.

REPORTED NEW PEACE OFFER.

The *Deutsche Tageszeitung* announces, "on good authority," that Germany and Austria have agreed to make another peace offer to the Allies, on the basis of no territorial aggrandisement, the surrender of Belgian and French territories, renunciation of positive territorial acquisitions in the east, and no indemnity on either side.

THE ABBEY THEATRE.

A fairly large audience greeted the revival of two favourite pieces at the Abbey Theatre last evening. The first on the programme was "Patriots," Mr. Lennox Robinson's three-act play, in which the theme which Irish politicians have been labouring for many generations forms the basis. Times and men's opinions have undergone a change in Coolmore, but eighteen years' imprisonment has made no change in the political views and methods of James Nugent. He finds that "the cause" has made no progress, and he denounces as cowards and traitors the members of the League, who seemed to him to have sat still and done nothing all these years. On the other hand, the members of the League are satisfied that they have kept the flag flying and that the country is prospering. Mr. Fred O'Donovan displayed his undoubted powers as James Nugent. An artiste who will be of immense strength to the Abbey Company appeared as Ann Nugent, wife of the patriot, for the first time, and she gave evidence of much reserve power. This is Miss Christine Hayden. Her repudiation of her misguided husband's ruinous politics was a fine piece of passionate acting. The other parts were taken by Miss Irene Kelly, Eric Gorman, Louis O'Connor, Hubert Maguire, Maureen Delany, Arthur Shields, Fred Harford, Peter Nolan, Barry Fitzgerald, Maurice Esmonde, and C. P. Denvir.

The other piece was "The Coiner," Mr. Bernard Duffy's one-act comedy, and it was presented by Louis O'Connor, Arthur Shields, Fred O'Donovan, Peter Nolan, and Miss Delany. Dr. Larchet's orchestra performed a nice selection of music during the intervals.

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"From Rathgar, with good wishes," 2s. 6d.; "J. W.," 2s.; "A Friend," 2s.

Corrections:—

In last Saturday's list the name of Colonel C. M. Gibbon, Chief of the General Staff, New Zealand, was given wrongly as "Colonel C. M. Griffin."

In the same list the subscription of Miss A. Booker, Lower Dorset street, Dublin, was attributed in error to "Miss A. Barker."

In the same list Mrs. de Vere, of The Lodge, Enniskerry, was described in error as "Mrs. de Vere Nugent."

In the same list Miss C. E. Davies was described wrongly as "Miss F. E. Davies."

THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND "OUR DAY" FUND.

NEXT MONDAY'S PUBLIC MEETING.

An announcement appears in our advertising columns to-day of an appeal which will be made to the citizens of Dublin on Monday next in aid of the "Our Day" Red Cross Fund. At 4.30 p.m. on that day the Lord Lieutenant will preside at a public meeting in the Lecture Theatre of the Royal Dublin Society, when an address will be delivered by Sir Courtauld Thomson, the Chief Commissioner of the Red Cross in the Mediterranean. His Excellency will be supported by a number of distinguished citizens, and among those who will appeal for support for the Fund are the Lord Chancellor of Ireland, the Lord Chief Justice, Lord Justice Molony, Mr. Justice Ross, Sir Henry Blake, Surgeon-General Sir R. W. Ford, Mr. Henry M'Laughlin, and Dr. J. Lumsden, the Vice-Chairman of the Joint V.A.D. Committee for Ireland. It is hoped that the attendance will be representative of all classes and creeds in the City of Dublin.

DR. ORPEN AND THE RED CROSS.

AN APPEAL FOR SUPPORT.

Speaking yesterday in Tralee at the annual Synod of the Church of Ireland of the Dioceses of Ardfert and Aghadoe, Dr. Orpen, Bishop of Limerick and Aghadoe, said—I have received some communications from the Red Cross and kindred societies. Some very misleading statements were made with regard to the support given by the South of Ireland, representing it as very small. Possibly the actual moneys forwarded were not very large, for the contributions were chiefly devoted to the local hospital supply organisation of the Red Cross or St. John Ambulance, for the purchase of material to be worked up by the local committees, and most splendid work has been done, and is being done—for I have witnessed it—by devoted bands of women to provide the necessaries for the sick and wounded of our gallant sailors and soldiers. Indeed, the Red Cross and St. John Ambulance deserve all the support we can give them. They spend about £50,000 a week in doing their charitable work. I strongly commend to clergy and laity the duty and privilege of co-operating with them. It is a time when great issues are being determined in the war; when great nations are putting forth their utmost strength to conquer, straining every nerve to gain the victory; when all the resources of science are called into action. Not merely the development of previous apparatus, but new forms of attack, some of them regarded in former times as contrary to the canons of legitimate warfare, are now freely employed, and the loss of life now in each week is as great as in whole campaigns of former times. Many of our people, our clergy and laity, have given their sons in the great struggle, and several have made the great sacrifice. Our hearts go out in sympathy with the mourners, and may I not say not only with our own communion, but with those of our Roman Catholic neighbours who are bearing the same sorrow? One of them connected by business with this town has during the last week lost his third gallant son. May God comfort and sustain them all. The whole system of the social fabric seems changing, not only on the Continent, but here at home. There is a feeling of uncertainty as to what is coming, possibly the fulfilment of the words: "Behold I shake all things." We are convinced of the justice of the cause of our country in this war, and can heartily exclaim, "God defend the right."

MR. AND MRS. LEGGETT BYRNE'S DANCE.

Mr. and Mrs. Leggett Byrne are holding their first dance of the season on Friday, October 19th, in the Gresham Hotel, Dublin, and they have decided that the proceeds of this dance shall be given to the *Irish Times* Red Cross Fund. The music has been entrusted to Mr. A. P. Rafter, who will attend, with his augmented orchestra of seven performers.

TO BEAT ULSTER.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I herewith enclose two guineas towards the *Irish Times* Red Cross Fund. As an Ulsterman, I want to see Ulster beaten to the ropes in this interesting competition.—Yours, etc.,

J. C. PERCY, Lt., R.N.V.R.

54 Upper Sackville street, Dublin,
October 8th, 1917.

FIRE IN DUBLIN.

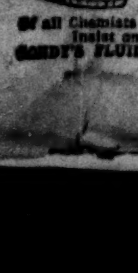
The Tara street section of the Fire Brigade, under Captain Purcell and Lieutenant Myers, turned out at about 2.30 p.m. yesterday to a fire in a store (the property of B. Fanning and Co., 22 Cuffe street) in a court at the rear of 99 St. Stephen's Green, South. The store contained matches, oil, and other inflammable goods, and was completely gutted, the damage being estimated at about £1,500. The Brigade had upwards of an hour's hard work before the flames were got under control, and succeeded in confining the outbreak to the place of origin.

Insurance at low rates with Phœnix Assurance Co., Ltd., 10-12 Trinity street, Dublin.—J. R. Warner, Manager. Agents everywhere.—(01023).

Mr. W. A. Appleton, Secretary of the General Federation of Trade Unions, interviewed yesterday regarding the new scheme of National Service, said there was nothing in it that Labour could or would object to. There are, he said, sections that would object to anything, but the great majority will have no hesitation in supporting the present scheme. It is a real improvement on every other scheme, and will remove many objections and suspicions that were aroused by the earlier proposals.

St. John Ambulance Brigade.—On Monday night, in Clontarf, Dr. John Sheppard received a handsome presentation from the members of the North City Division St. John Ambulance Brigade, to whom he had acted as lecturer. District Superintendent W. G. Smith presided, and was supported by Corps Officer A. J. McWilliam. At the close hearty thanks were accorded to Divisional Superintendent C. E. Iley for kindly entertaining the members, and for his energy in promoting and making the Division so successful. During the evening enjoyable musical items were rendered by Privates Lennox Braid, Forman, Knowles, Horbury, Albany, Watts, Superintendent Iley, and Mr. E. B. Symmons (humorist).

THE BATH FOR TIRED, ACHING, OR TENDER FEET.



To obtain immediate relief bathe the feet in water containing a few drops of "CONDY'S FLUID." All Offensive Odour instantly disappears.

Of all Chemists 1/-. Beware of Substitutes. Insist on having Condy's Fluid. CONDY'S FLUID CO., Goswell Road, London.

ROLL OF HONOUR

Last night's casualty lists show the following losses:—Officers—Dead, 66; wounded or missing, 164. Rank and File—Dead, 474; wounded or missing, 1,491. Analysis of the lists:—Killed—Officers, 50; men, 281. Otherwise reported, now reported dead—Men, 34. Died of wounds—Officers, 13; men, 131. Died—Officers, 2; men, 28. Wounded—Officers, 146; men, 1,290. Missing—Officers, 14; men, 201. Totals—Officers, 225; men, 1,965.

Naval Officers—Otherwise reported, now reported dead, 1; wounded, 3; missing, 1. Total—5.

Brigadier-Generals F. W. H. Walshe and S. Lushington are reported wounded.

KILLED.

LONDON REGIMENT.
BLACKBURNE, Lt. H. D. — ROLASON, Sec. Lt. L. N.
BROWETT, Sec. Lt. R. — HOOPER, Sec. Lt. B. K.
GRIFFITH, Sec. Lt. W. K.

EAST SURREY REGIMENT.
DUNKLEY, Sec. Lt. H. N. — LASENBY, Sec. Lt. S.
HARDING, Sec. Lt. F. J. — LIBBY, Lt. A. T.
HUTCHESON, Sec. Lt. J. Mach. — McCALLUM, Capt. D.
RUSSELL, Lt. L. W. R.

WEST SURREY REGIMENT.
CROOK, Capt. L. A. — PURCHAS, Sec. Lt. E. T.
CURTIS, Sec. Lt. L. H. — WEBB, Lt. G. A.
KEMP, Sec. Lt. C. G.

OTHER REGIMENTS.
ATKINSON, Second Lieutenant H., R.G.A.
BATE, Lieutenant F. O., M.G.C.
BENDER, Lieutenant A. C., Hamps. Regt.
BOWIE, Second Lieutenant R. A., Leic. Regt.
CLARK, Lieutenant M. B., Arg. and Suth'd Highrs.
CORNES, Second Lieutenant H. P. G., Royal Fus.
DYKE, Second Lieutenant F. H., R.W. Kent R., attd. L.N. Lan. Regt.
FREEMAN, Second Lieutenant J. B., R.W. Kent R.
GOLDING, Captain T. J., R.A.M.C.
GOULDING, Sec. Lieut. R., K.O. (Yorks L.I.).
HADDON, Second Lieutenant H. A., Sher. For.
HALL, Captain E. W., Linc. Regt.
HAWKINS, Captain C. V. T., S. Staff. Regt.
HENDRY, Lieutenant A., Royal Field Artillery.
HOWLETT, Second Lieutenant J. H., M.G.C.
HUMPHREYS, Second Lieutenant R. G., K.R. Rif. C.
KELLY, Second Lieutenant H. J., K.R. Rif. C.
KINDER, Captain R. C., Malay States Vol. Rif., attd. Royal Fusiliers.
LOWE, Second Lieutenant E. A., Linc. Regt.
LOYD, Capt. A. P., Buffs (E. Kent R.) and R.F.C.
NOBLE, Second Lieutenant H. T., R.F.C.
NORTON, Second Lieutenant F. F., K.R. Rif. C.
PITMAN, Second Lieutenant T. S., York and Lanc. R.
PRESTON, Major S., Middlesex Regt.
SLIGHT, Second Lieutenant W. H., R.E.
SEERS, Captain W., Hamps. Regt.
THOMASON, Second Lieutenant H. J. B., Leic. R.
TOMLIN, Second Lieutenant H. F., R.F.C.
WILLIAMS, Second Lieutenant F. S., Sher. For.
WOOD, Second Lieutenant J., Sherwood Foresters.
WILLIAMS, Second Lieut. J. V., King's (L'pool R.).
YOUNG, Second Lieutenant T. J., Middlesex Regt.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

BIRT, Captain L. W., Oxf. and Bucks. L.I.
CROSHAW, Lieutenant-Colonel O. M., D.S.O., Yeomanry, attd. Australian Infantry.
DESPARD, Second Lieutenant E. R., Tank Corps.
DINWIDDY, Captain C. H., R.G.A.
DUDDELL, Sec. Lt. A. L., S. Staff R., attd. Yorks. R.
HAMMOND, Lieutenant-Colonel R. W., Royal Fus.
HARVEY, Lieutenant W. R., R.F.A.
MONKMAN, Second Lieutenant F. K., Royal Fus.
RAWLINGS, Second Lieutenant C. W. E., Glouc. R.
TOPPIN, Major S. M., M.C., R.G.A.

ACCIDENTALLY KILLED.

CRAIGHEAD, Second Lieutenant J. M., Buffs (E. Kent Regiment).

DIED.

ANGUS, Lieut.-Col. J. R., S. Wales Bord. (Maj., Welsh R.)

WOUNDED.

QUEEN'S (WEST SURREY REGIMENT).
BAYNESS, Sec. Lt. W. H. — FIELD, Sec. Lt. V. A.
BURRELL, Capt. J. — FULLER, Sec. Lt. E.
CARSLAKE, Capt. W. B. — HUGHES, Sec. Lt. I. T. P.
CHARLES, Sec. Lt. C.W.C. — MILNER, Sec. Lt. J. S.
FAULKNER, Capt. R. — RYTHALL, Sec. Lt. H. J.

R.G.A.
BOWEN, Sec. Lt. E. J. — ROGERS, Sec. Lt. C. E.
CHAMBERLAIN, Capt. and Adjt. F. E. — MORGAN, Sec. Lt. C. K.
GALLICK, Capt. T. — PINE, Sec. Lt. W. E. W.
VERNON, Sec. Lt. H. R.

WORCESTERSHIRE REGIMENT.
ASHCROFT, Sec. Lt. E. S. — HIGH, Sec. Lt. W. H.
BRITTAN, Sec. Lt. A. — MONKS, Sec. Lt. D. N.
CHILD, Sec. Lt. C. R.

ROYAL FIELD ARTILLERY.
BECKETT, Sec. Lt. F. — MEIKLE, Capt. J. B.
DENNISS, Major C. E. — REW, Lt. R. P.
EARDLEY, Lt. W. E. — SCOTT, Sec. Lt. I. J.
HANCOCK, Lt. T. L. — SKEY, Major A. J.
HANCOX, Sec. Lt. S. D. — STOKES, Capt. H.
HOBSON, Sec. Lt. A. J. — TRACEY, Sec. Lt. L. T.
MARKES, Sec. Lt. R. A. — WALKER, Sec. Lt. P. S.

ROYAL FUSILIERS.
ADAMS, Sec. Lt. A.E.St.J. — FLETCHER, Sec. Lt. H.
BOWRON, Sec. Lt. U. K. — JONES, Sec. Lt. F. A. B.
DIPPIE, Capt. H. — LEGG, Sec. Lt. K. B.
FIRTH, Lt. S. H. — SMITH, Sec. Lt. S. J.
FINCH, Sec. Lt. J. H.

MACHINE GUN CORPS.
BRACKENRIDGE, Sec. Lt. W. — JINMAN, Lt. P. R.
HEAP, Sec. Lt. E. T. A. — URQUHART, Sec. Lt. H. J. F.
HEMMONS, Sec. Lt. A. — YOUNG, Sec. Lt. P. R. H.

SHERWOOD FORESTERS.
CARLISLE, Sec. Lt. E. A. — LOCKWOOD, Sec. Lt. A. P.
CHARLTON, Lt. C. C. — LONGBOTTOM, Sec. Lt. A. V.
HARRISON, Capt. P. P. — MILLS, Sec. Lt. T. A. R.
HAYHOE, Lt. W. H. — ROE, Sec. Lt. J. G.
HAUGH, Sec. Lt. J. R. — SHEPHARD, Lt. S.
JORDAN, Lt. J. M. — STREET, Sec. Lt. R. H.
KERRICK, Sec. Lt. H. L.

LINCOLNSHIRE REGIMENT.
BAKER, Lt. E. W. — HOULDEN, Sec. Lt. G.
COULSON, Lt. F. R. — KNOX, Capt. E. G. V.
HEWER, Lt. W. H. N. — PARVIN, Sec. Lt. W.

OTHER REGIMENTS.
ALCOCK, Sec. Lt. S. C., Argyll and Sutherland Highrs.
ANDREWS, Sec. Lt. C. B., North'd Fus., attd. R.F.C.
BASHFORD, Sec. Lt. C., King's Royal Rifle Corps.
BENTHAM, Sec. Lt. C., York and Lanc. Regt.
BOURKE, Sec. Lt. B. L., King's Royal Rifle Corps.
BUTTLE, Sec. Lt. T. G., Middlesex Regiment.
BROOKE, Sec. Lt. R. J., Norf. R., attd. Linc. R.
CHUDLEY, Second Lieutenant F. H., London Regt.
CLARKE, Second Lieutenant K. H. S., London Regt.
COOK, Second Lieutenant A. F., Leicester Regiment.
COPE, Second Lieutenant E. M., North Staff. Regt.
CORKE, Second Lieutenant R. T., K.O. (Yorks. L.I.).
COWLEY, Captain C., M.C., Northumberland Fusiliers.
COX, Lieutenant W. D., Yorkshire Regiment.
CASSIDY, Capt. D. S., R.A.M.C., attd. Berks. Regt.
CHARGE, Sec. Lt. T. A., South Staffordshire Regt.
DEAN, Second Lieutenant D. J., R.W. Kent Regt.
DIXON, Lieutenant J. H. B., Royal Engineers.
DRUMLANRIG, Lt. F. A. K. D., Visct., Black Watch.
FISHER, Lt. H. C., Middlesex Regiment.
FOOKES, Sec. Lt. E. G. W., King's Royal Rifle Corps.
GILLESPIE, Second Lieutenant O., Border Regiment.
GOULD, Second Lieutenant A. B., Leicester Regiment.
HARDY, Captain C., London Regiment.
HARPER, Second Lieutenant W. H. J., London Regt.
HARRISON, Second Lieutenant A. W., R.F.C.
HATWOOD, Second Lieutenant C. C., R. War. Regt.
HAWKINS, Captain G., Gloucestershire Regiment.
HICKMAN, Second Lieutenant F. G., S. Staff. Regt.
HOPKINS, Second Lieutenant F. B., Tank Corps.
HUBBALL, Second Lieutenant W. N., Staff. Regt.
HILL, Capt. R., M.C., D.S.O., R.A.M.C., attd. Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.
INGRAM, Sec. Lt. R. C., Devon. R., attd. Linc. Regt.
KOHL, Captain G. H., Royal Engineers.
LEISHMAN, Sec. Lt. W. G., R.W. Kent R., attd. T.M. Battery.
LITTLEJOHNS, Captain H. E. C., Welsh Regiment.
LOACH, Second Lieutenant A. E., Royal Engineers.
LUSHINGTON, Brigadier-General S., C.B., C.M.G.
LAWRENCE, Sec. Lt. J. W., King's (Liverpool Regt.), attd. T.M. Battery.
LAWSON, Capt. C. F., Essex Regiment.
McCULLOCH, Second Lieutenant H., Connaught Rangers.
MAULE, Captain W. H. F., D.S.O., L.N. Lan. Regt.
MOORE, Second Lieutenant H. S. A., Glouc. Regt.
MULLOCK, Second Lieutenant S. S., Lan. Regiment.
NYE, Captain G. T., M.C., K.O. (Yorkshire L.I.).
ORD, Second Lieutenant B., Royal Flying Corps.
PRIDHAM, Lieutenant C. N., East Surrey Regiment.
REES, Captain W. A., Royal Army Medical Corps.
ROSLING, Capt. C. H., Duke of Cornwall's L.I.
RUSSELL, Sec. Lt. C. S. C., Northumberland Fus.
SMITH, Sec. Lt. M. A. B., Labour Corps.
STIRLING, Lt. A. C., Argyll and Sutherland Highrs.
STRATTON, Sec. Lt. W. A., King's Royal Rifle Corps.
STANIFORTH, Second Lieutenant A., Tank Corps.
STANLEY, Second Lieutenant G. E., South Staff. Regt.
STRONG, Second Lieutenant R., Border Regiment.
SWIFT, Captain H. W., London Regiment.
THOMAS, Second Lieutenant E. S. W., N. Staff. Regt.
THORNLEY, Second Lieutenant J., Labour Corps.
THURSFIELD, Major J. H., M.C., South Staff. Regt.
TINSLEY, Second Lieutenant J. A., E. Lan. Regt.
TOWNSEND, Second Lieutenant E. G., Glouc. Regt.
TRIPP, Capt. H. B., King's (Liverpool Regiment).
TURPIN, Sec. Lt. F. T., Hussars, attd. Yeomanry.
WALSHE, Brigadier-General F. W. H., D.S.O.
WARDE, Capt. R. H., M.C., Royal Engineers.
WARWICK, Capt. H. F., Royal Army Medical Corps.
WATSON, Sec. Lt. S. H., Gloucester Regiment.
WOOD, Sec. Lt. J. M., Middlesex Regiment.
WESTWOOD, Second Lieutenant H. R., M.G.C.
WILLIAMS, Second Lieutenant O. J., Durham L.I.
WORTERS, Sec. Lt. C. C., Buffs (E. Kent. R.), attd. Sherwood Foresters.
WYNNE, Lieutenant C. H. L., Leicestershire Regiment.
YOUNG, Second Lieutenant J., Durham Light Infantry.

WOUNDED AND MISSING.

HEMINGWAY, Second Lieutenant H., Middlesex Regt.
JOLLY, Second Lieutenant T. B., E. Surrey Regiment.
SOOBEY, Second Lieutenant R. C., D. of Corn. L.I.

MISSING.

BERTIOLI, Second Lieutenant W. S., Middlesex Regt.
CLENSHAW, Lt. W. F., Queen's (R.W. Surrey Regt.).
RAPLEY, Second Lieutenant W. G., Middlesex Regt.
RYCROFT, Second Lieutenant N. W., Bedfd. Regt.

MISSING, BELIEVED KILLED.

BULLOCH, Second Lieutenant R., Royal Fusiliers.
GRIFFITH, Captain G. F., London Regiment.
MORTLOCK, Second Lieutenant P. G., Royal Fusiliers.

MISSING.

CAMPBELL, Captain J. S., Arg. and Suth'd. Highrs. and R.F.C.
GRANTHAM, Second Lieutenant W. P., Linc. Regt.
HAIGHT, Second Lieutenant J. L., Royal Flying Corps.
HOOD, Second Lieutenant B. P., Royal Flying Corps.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED WOUNDED, NOW REPORTED NOT WOUNDED.

GORDON, Second Lieutenant A. W. K., R.F.A., attd. R.G.A.
WEBBER, Second Lieutenant W. J., Labour Corps.

NEW ZEALAND FORCES.

DIED OF WOUNDS.
AIREY, Lieutenant F., New Zealand Infantry.

WOUNDED.
NEWBOULD, Lieutenant M., New Zealand Engrs.
SAPSFORD, Second Lieutenant C., New Zealand Infy.

SOUTH AFRICAN FORCES.

DIED.
HARRIS, Lieutenant W. C., South Afr. Dept. Units.

EAST AFRICAN CASUALTIES.

KILLED IN ACTION.
Lieut. A. GREEN, Royal Fus. and King's African Rifles.

WOUNDED.
Captain A. V. BARCLAY, King's African Rifles.
Lieut. C. E. CLARKE, King's African Rifles.
Sgt. F. Earl, King's African Rifles.
Sgt. A. Barrett, King's African Rifles and Rifle Brigade.
Co.-Sgt.-Maj. A. V. Holloway, King's African Rifles and Dorset Regt.

CENTRAL AFRICAN CASUALTY.

WOUNDED.
Lieutenant H. HILL, King's African Rifles.

NAVAL CASUALTIES.

The Secretary of the Admiralty announces the following casualties under various dates:—

MISSING.
Flight Sub-Lieutenant M. J. WATSON, R.N.

WOUNDED.
Acting Sub-Lieutenant E. W. B. SIM, R.N.

INJURED.
Flight Lieutenant L. EDWARDS, R.N.
Mr. H. HOWELL, Boatswain, R.N.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING, NOW PRESUMED KILLED.
Flight Sub-Lieutenant G. G. BOWMAN, R.N.

Captain C. Robertson.—The death in action on October 4th is announced of Captain Clement Robertson, Tank Corps, the fourth son of Major and Mrs. Robertson, of Honan Hill, Delgany. Captain Robertson was 27 years of age.

Second Lieutenant C. S. Waugh.—Second Lieutenant Charles S. Waugh, who is reported wounded (suffering from severe gunshot wounds in the head), has been admitted to an hospital. He was on the staff of Messrs Guinness and Son, Ltd., when war was declared, and received a commission in the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry). He was captain of the Richmond Hockey Club for many years, and Honorary Secretary of the Leinster Branch of the Irish Hockey Union since it started. During the three years prior to the war he acted as Honorary Secretary of the Irish Hockey Union. He has represented this country in many international matches, and is well known and deservedly popular with all lovers of the game, both here and on the other side of the Channel.

Second Lieutenant J. B. Johnston.—Second Lieutenant J. B. Johnston, Royal Dublin Fusiliers, who is reported wounded, is a son of Mr. J. E. Johnston, College Park, East, Belfast. He was formerly in the London Regiment, and was promoted to a commission in the present year. Before joining the Army Second Lieutenant Johnston was a member of the editorial staff of the *Belfast News-Letter*.

Second Lieutenant S. Taylor.—Second Lieutenant Samuel Taylor, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, who was engaged in the linen business in Belfast before the war, is officially reported killed in action. He was a son of the late Mr. Samuel Taylor, Mountnorris, Co. Armagh.

Since May 1st, 1917, Pupils of ROSSE COLLEGE, Stephen's Green, Dublin, have gained clerkships in the Bank of Ireland (10 appointments), Munster and Leinster, National, Provincial, Ulster, and Northern Bank.—(Advt.)

THE IRISH CONVENTION.

Letter from Lord Monteagle.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I pleaded a fortnight ago for "the *maximum* of publicity consistent with efficiency" on the part of the Convention as the best preventive of suspicion on the one hand, and impatience on the other; and I suggested an *interim* report, explaining, at any rate, the procedure adopted. I need hardly say I wrote in no spirit of idle curiosity, still less with any desire to hustle the Convention. I sought to promote not criticism of its proceedings, properly forbidden by D.O.R.A., but confidence in its purpose and good faith; to evoke not envy or strife, but healthy discussion of the great issues committed to its deliberation.

Of such discussion there has been too little since the Convention met, possibly under the mistaken idea that this, too, is forbidden under the Realm Act; whereas, of course, all that was intended was to make the Convention master of its own publicity department. No outsider can judge the pros and cons of what to publish, and when; and I will only add one remark on this confidence question. I would beg of all its members to remember that, as between them and the public, confidence must be mutual, and that the Convention must at every stage take the initiative.

The history of the Convention as known to the public so far may be summarised as follows:—

(1) It elected its own Chairman—an Irishman singularly detached from any party ties. The vital importance of this is now clear to all, as making the Convention independent of the British Government, and the wisdom of the Government for once in allowing it is appreciated.

(2) Two months have been spent in settling procedure—a point almost equally vital with the chairmanship, and on which the continued existence of such a body as the Convention essentially depends—and in debating various schemes of government.

(3) A Grand Committee has been chosen, as announced in the resolution passed at the Cork session, to draw up and submit its own scheme, having heard all the others thrashed out in full assembly.

Pessimists may say these are small results for two months' work, but, even if the latter were the only result, which we may be sure it is not, it is no mean achievement. The art of government turns largely on wise delegation, and for democracy this is the first essential lesson—how difficult to learn we have only to look at Russia to see. It is a great point gained, and a good omen that the Convention has learned it so soon, and entrusted the preparation of a definite scheme to a score or so of its best men. Is it permissible to suggest that we might also be told who they are? Would such publicity impair efficiency? It would certainly beget confidence, even if criticism were forbidden.

Now a word or two on the Grand Committee's fateful task. It is surely desirable that public attention should be directed to the main points at issue, so as to prepare people's minds to see the different points in their true perspective when the Convention pronounces on the Grand Committee's scheme. Within the limits of a letter one can only indicate briefly such points and the order of their sequence; but before doing so I venture to lay down one axiom which should govern all study of the subject. I submit that, subject to the one condition laid down by Mr. Lloyd George, that the scheme should be "within the Empire," the whole question has to be approached by us from a frankly Irish standpoint. But there may very well be differences between what we Irish think true Imperial interests and what are so considered across the Channel; and there certainly will be such differences as between British and Irish interests. These must be settled between the two countries by some joint conference if the Convention evolves a scheme. It is not the business of the Convention to safeguard purely British interests. Its business is to ask: "What is best for Ireland?"

This main question must surely be approached from the national rather than the provincial side, considering first the external relations of Ireland with Great Britain rather than the internal organisation of Ireland and the relations of its different parts. In saying this I am far from under-rating the gravity of the Ulster problem or ignoring the interests of the Unionist minority in the South, but it is impossible to discuss these matters adequately until the relations between the two islands and the *status* and powers of the Irish Government have been considered. Whatever safeguards might be set up for minorities, either Northern or Southern, those powers must be for them, as for the Nationalist majority, the primary concern. *Status* logically comes first—I shall not travel outside it to-day—and *status* resolves itself, broadly, into a choice between the Dominion type and the provincial. I have stated my own view six months ago in the *Quarterly Review* in favour of the former and will not repeat my argument. My aim is merely to indicate as fairly as I can, though very briefly, the main issues as between the two.

Outside the Convention, the tide has been setting very strongly for the Dominion type, and, if it be taken for the basis of discussion, the question arises: Are modifications necessary or desirable in the interests of Ireland? What are Ireland's vital needs? Taking first defence, it is generally admitted by all but Republicans that Army and Navy are Imperial matters, and that Ireland could not afford either at the standard of modern warfare. But the right to raise a territorial force could hardly be denied her. Is it, or is it not, a vital need she must claim?

Next comes finance, and few will now deny what British Treasury authorities have admitted, or even urged, for over twenty years—that financial independence is the very breath of life to any self-governing community, and that the power which controls national expenditure should be responsible for raising the necessary income to meet it. In Ireland's case this necessarily carries the control of Customs and Excise, from which the bulk of Irish revenue must continue to be derived. Closely connected with this is the more debatable question of fiscal independence and control of trade policy, and it will be remembered that the latest report on Irish finance, Sir Henry Primrose's, while strongly advocating financial independence, including Customs and Excise, was equally emphatic against fiscal independence. Is control of trade policy a vital need or not?

Next follows naturally the crucial question of Imperial contribution, and what share, if any, Ireland should bear of the National Debt. If Great Britain, albeit in her own interest, pays the main cost of defending Ireland, ought Ireland to contribute, and, if so, what can she afford? Should it be voluntary or fixed? If the latter, on what principle?

Last, not least, as growing out of these various questions, arises the knotty point of representation in the Imperial Parliament. If Ireland is to pay a contribution other than voluntary, it would obviously give her a claim to such representation. But is it a vital need which she should claim? If not, is there any reason why it should be thrust upon her? The British objections are obvious, and the complications which passed Mr. Gladstone's wit to unravel are of the essence of the problem.—Yours, etc.,

MONTEAGLE.

Mount Trenchard, Foynes, Co. Limerick,
October 9th, 1917.

ARCHBISHOP PEACOCKE MEMORIAL.

A meeting of the Executive Committee was held on Tuesday, 9th October, in the Chapter Room, Christ Church Cathedral. Present:—The Archbishop of Dublin, in the chair; the Dean of Christ Church, Precentor Hogan, Canons Stoney, M'Gee, Lindsay, Hayes, Mervyn; Rev. H. Taylor, Rev. J. E. L. Oulton, Archdeacon of Dublin, Hon. Secretary, and Dr. R. Macalister, Hon. Treasurer. The Cathedral architect, Mr. R. C. Orpen, presented his plans for a beautiful memorial in stone, brass, and enamel work, to be placed in the north aisle of the Cathedral. The Committee unanimously accepted Mr. Orpen's design, and resolved to put in hands as quickly as possible the work of erecting the memorial, which will be a monument worthy of its object and of the Metropolitan Cathedral.

THE LATE MR. FRANCIS B. ORMSBY.

At a meeting of Love's Charity and Gardiner's Charity, Dublin, a resolution was passed expressing sincere regret at the death of the late Mr. F. B. Ormsby.

OSSORY DIOCESAN SYNOD.

DR. GREGG'S ADDRESS.

A "DIPLOMATISTS'" PEACE.

The Synod of the Diocese of Ossory was held yesterday in the Desart Hall, Kilkenny. The President (the Right Rev. J. A. F. Gregg) occupied the chair.

The President, at the outset of his address, referred with regret to the deaths of the late diocesan treasurer, Major J. H. Connellan, D.L., and Lord Teignmouth, who, he said, set an example of zeal and efficiency in their duty. There had also passed away Chancellor Senior, who spent thirty-seven years, the whole of his ministry, in the diocese, and retired in 1915, and Canon Rutherford, who held the living of Kilculliheen for twenty-five years, and retired in 1916. They had also lost from the active list Canon Humphreys, who was secretary of the Board of Religious Education. He could not omit to mention the death of Mr. Nicholas Richardson, who was a member of the Council for nearly thirty years, and acted as secretary for ten years.

CONFERENCE TABLE VICTORY.

The war still went on, and one hardly dared at the moment speak of the end of the war. How heartily they all desired that blessed day when the peace terms were signed, and yet how essential it was that the country should see that a diplomatists' peace settled nothing. One had only to study such indications as became public of the energetic and versatile peace propaganda that Germany was carrying on to see that Germany regarded peace-making as a conflict of wits. One might hope that German psychology would be as much at fault on that occasion as so often during the war; but it was plain that it relied upon the operation of war-weariness, national greed, and national jealousy among the Allies to give it at the conference table the victory which it was unable to snatch on the field of battle. But happily they knew now whom they were dealing with. Unless the lessons of the past three years had been wasted, the Allies would meet craft with caution and astuteness with alertness. At the same time, they must all recognise how enormously more difficult their task had been rendered by the political collapse of Russia. What seemed like the reasonable promise of 1917 had been neutralised, as far as finality went, by the military helplessness of their Eastern Ally. It would seem as if they need look for no help in that quarter. But what they lost in the East seemed likely to be made up for in the West. The entry of America into the struggle, coerced by the inexorable logic of the situation, had given them an Ally who was taking up the burden with characteristic whole-heartedness.

THE CHURCH IN WALES.

Referring to Welsh Church disestablishment, Dr. Gregg said that there could be no doubt that the experience gained by the Church of Ireland through nearly fifty years of autonomous existence would be drawn upon to some extent by the Church in Wales. There was no doubt that the Church of Ireland was, by comparison, fortunate in the occasion when it was thrown upon the voluntary contributions of members. It was a sign of the times that there would be a very noticeable difference between the qualification for membership in the Welsh Representative Body and the Irish. He would be glad, indeed, if it were found practicable for Irish churchmen sooner or later to unite in some external demonstration of their goodwill towards the stricken Church in Wales.

The report of the Diocesan Council for 1916 stated that the subscriptions paid for parochial assessment for the year amounted to £2,392 15s. 9d., an increase of £94 2s. 9d. over the amount paid in the previous year. The arrears due by three parishes on December 31st, 1916, amounted to £1,279 12s. 3d., being £96 2s. 1d. less than the previous year. An examination of that account for the past year revealed the fact that at no period since Disestablishment had a more satisfactory report on the assessment of the diocese been presented to the Synod. A sum of £2,715 11s. 9d., the stipend fund revenue account unallocated balance on December 31st, 1915, was available for distribution in 1916 under the supplemental scheme, and the payments sanctioned by the Council, amounting to £1,448 4s. 6d., were made on April 1st. The general purposes fund revenue account was now charged almost to the entire capacity of its income. The diocesan poor parishes fund showed a gratifying increase in the amount received from parochial collections, as well as an increase in the number of parishes which had earned grants. There was transferred from commutation to stipend capital fund £10,500, the capital value of the annuity of the late Ven. W. C. Gorman, formerly Archdeacon of Ossory. The income of the stipend fund would thus be very materially increased. Increases of capital were shown in respect of parochial, superannuation, poor parishes, widows and orphans, general purposes, and glebes profit sales accounts, while the other capital accounts remained unaltered at December 31st, 1916.

COMPULSORY RETIRING AGE SUGGESTED.

Mr. W. McM. Kavanagh moved that the report be considered. He described it as most favourable. Their capital had increased by £1,166, and that was not an accidental increase, but the result of a steady move upwards in almost every one of the accounts. The Representative Church Body, he continued, had passed a new rule, by which no poor parish grant would be given in a parish whose clergyman had an income of £300 a year, or over that. That was a very excellent rule but he differed from the Representative Church Body in their calculations of what an income ought to be. Bonuses were included in the income, and the result might be that a generous diocese would thereby raise their incomes to £300 or over and lose the poor parish grants. On the subject of Church reform, the speaker expressed himself in favour of the amalgamation of parishes. He would also like to see retirement made compulsory at a certain age, and a large superannuation fund built up to give clergymen a fair annuity on retiring. That would bring quicker promotion, a larger income, and, what the clergy would welcome, more work and activity in their lives. Their President, in his address to the Ferns Synod, he concluded, had been good enough to refer to the Convention in terms of encouragement. So far as Lord Desart and he were concerned, their lips were sealed; but for himself he said he shared to the fullest extent the optimism of Sir Horace Plunkett, who, in his speech at Cork, said he looked forward to the time when Nationalist and Unionist, Protestant and Catholic, would be able to say: "My country is thy country, and my God is thy God."

The Archdeacon of Ossory, seconding the motion, referred to complaints about the insufficiency of superannuation, and said the people who were to be most pitied were the young clergymen with families, who had no means of increasing their incomes. He did not think they had power at present to do very much for them.

The motion was passed, and the report of the Council was adopted.

The election for the Diocesan Council resulted as follows:—Archdeacon De Montmorency, Chancellor Wills, Dean Winder, Percentor Beresford, Canon Hogg, Treasurer McCheane, Canon Harpur, Canon Green, Canon Kellett, and Rev. W. A. Shaw. Supplemental—Revs. D. G. Norris, T. W. Manning, A. W. Richardson, R. B. Birmingham, and J. F. Cox.

Lay—Captain Prior-Wandesforde, George Butler, R. Colles, Edgar White, J. Poë, jun.; W. Ringwood, Marquis of Ormonde, Major Hanford, Earl of Desart, H. C. Gregory, Earl of Bessborough, C. S. Purdon, G. B. M. Swifte, R. White, J. T. Leigne, Captain Tighe, R. Langrishe, Major Knox, Captain De Montmorency, and R. T. Ringwood. Supplemental—General Nixon, J. P. Poë, E. Gabbett, S. D. Wilson, Major Hamilton, and J. E. Tomlinson.

the commutation capital now amounts to £2,804 18s. 7d. Stipend fund No. 1 capital was raised to £79,881 11s. 7d. The balance to credit of stipend fund No. 1 revenue on 1st January, 1916, was £927 5s. 11d. After paying a bonus of £9 each to the clergy, as ordered by the Diocesan Synod, in 1916, and £55 poor parish money for the previous year, and after transferring £486 to capital, there remained to the credit £1,063 9s. 2d. on 31st December, 1916. The following are the totals of the capital of the diocesan funds, on which the incomes of the clergy mainly depend:—Commutation, £2,804 13s. 7d.; stipend fund No. 1, £79,881 11s. 7d.; stipend fund No. 2, £20,000; superannuation fund, £8,181 1s. 6d.—total, £110,867 6s. 8d. There has been an improvement in the offertories of the parochial aid and general diocesan fund in 1916. The assessment subscriptions for 1916 are £114 below the average (£1,644) for the previous ten years; the average for the first half of the decade was £1,727 and for the second half of same £1,561. This shows a steadily progressive decrease in the amount of subscriptions, largely to be accounted for by the falling off of non-resident subscribers, who have sold their properties.

The report was adopted.

On the motion of Major McGillycuddy, seconded by Dr. Leslie Crosbie, it was decided to give £600 as a war bonus to the clergy of the diocese, each clergyman to receive the sum of £20, and that the superannuated clergy of the diocese receive a share of the bonus.

On the motion of Mr. John Revington, seconded by Sir Arthur Vicars, it was decided that a grant of £25 each per annum be given to the Archdeacon of Ardfert, the Archdeacon of Aghadoe, and the Dean of Ardfert, when, and so long as, there are funds available, after providing for Schedules I., II., and III.

On the motion of the Archdeacon of Aghadoe, the following was unanimously adopted:—"That we recommend a conference be held annually in Tralee the evening before the Synod to consider missionary and temperance work and other matters approved by the Lord Bishop, for the discussion of which it is not always possible to spare time at the Synod meeting."

ARDFERT AND AGHADOE DIOCESAN SYNOD.

DR. ORPEN'S ADDRESS.

The annual Synod of the Diocese of Ardfert and Aghadoe was held yesterday in Tralee, the Right Rev. Dr. Orpen, Bishop of Limerick and Ardfert, presiding. There was a good attendance of clergy and laity.

The Bishop, addressing the Synod, said:—In taking a review of the state of the diocese during the past twelve months, I think we have reason to thank God and take courage. While changes have taken place in our staff of clergy, yet they have been chiefly amongst those already in the diocese, and we have been able, with one exception, to fill all the vacancies in the curacies. This affords reason for thankfulness, considering the small numbers attending the Divinity School. I trust that our lay brethren will give every encouragement to their sons who feel that they have a call to the ministry. It is not, indeed, a profession which will bring wealth in proportion to the expense and labour required to its attainment, but the object of its work is a high and noble one, and the result will bring happiness of the highest kind. The Synod will learn with regret that we are losing the valuable services of our Secretary, Colonel Rowan. For 45 years he has acted in this capacity. Although the assessment payments have fallen short of those paid in the years previous to the war. Yet the amount of the falling-off is not greater than we might expect at a time when such a heavy strain is put upon the resources of everyone to meet the ordinary necessaries of life. The work of the Diocesan Board of Education progresses satisfactorily. The cause of foreign missions has not been forgotten, and the chief societies of the Church have had ready support throughout the diocese. The cause of temperance has also received the usual amount of support.

Dr. Orpen then referred to the claims of the Red Cross, a report of which will be found elsewhere.

The Ven. Archdeacon Foley presented the financial report, from which it appeared that

FERNS DIOCESAN SYNOD.

ELECTION OF DIOCESAN COUNCIL.

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Supplementalists.—Rev. W. B. Evans, 11; Rev. W. H. T. Gahan, 10; Rev. W. G. Squires, 9; W. C. Skrine, 8.

St. Vincent de Paul Shelter.—The returns of the St. Vincent de Paul Free Night Shelter for Catholic Men, Back lane, Dublin, for the month of September show that the admissions during that period amounted to 1,102, while 1,292 meals were supplied. The undertaking is a special work of, and is managed by a committee of members of, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, and accomplishes much useful work.

THE WORLD OVER.

PEOPLE, PLACES, AND EVENTS IN THE NEWS.

SELLING A HORSE WITHOUT LICENCE.

The Banbury justices have imposed a fine of £10 on a well-known Oxfordshire horse dealer for having sold a three-year-old unbroken horse without a permit, and a farmer and dealer was fined £5 as the purchaser.

LORD NORTHCLIFFE'S SUCCESSOR.

Who will be Lord Northcliffe's successor in America? It was anticipated, before the announcement came, that his own business would demand his presence in England. Is there not another Geddes available?

ROYAL CHESTNUTS—FOR GERMANS.

The Queen and Princess Mary, with many helpers, have collected 3,000 lbs. of horse chestnuts for the needs of munitions. The quantity mentioned has been sent from Sandringham.

GREAT COMPOSER'S BIRTHDAY.

Dr. Saint-Saëns, the great French musician, was 82 yesterday. Few great modern composers can equal the composer of "Samson and Delilah." Besides being a brilliant pianist and organist, Saint-Saëns is renowned for the composition of opera, oratorio, and ballads.

CROSSING ROAD: UMBRELLA DOWN.

It is always a salutary rule never to cross a road with an umbrella up. It should be a rule always to lower it, however hard it rains, if a crossing has to be made in a thoroughfare where there is much traffic. A woman aged 27 and her four-year-old son were both killed in Walworth road, London, on Monday. She had an umbrella up, and did not see an Army motor lorry.

ELIGIBLES GO CRUISING IN CANOES.

All sorts of schemes have been devised to dodge military service. This is the latest: Three young men found cruising in two canoes stocked with provisions on the river in the Newport Pagnell district have fallen into the hands of the recruiting authorities. Two of them are brothers. The police state that the men have been cruising for some weeks. One of the men was remanded to show proof when he became of military age. The two others were handed over to the military authorities.

CAPTURED ENEMY FILMS.

Captured films supply the greater part of the remarkable programme of pictures shown this week at a London theatre. One (which is in continuation of the German Army pictures already displayed) gives an interesting view of the fighting between Italy and Austria from the enemy side, beginning with the advance of the Austrian infantry up the mountain in waves. Later on Emperor Charles of Austria is seen visiting his troops, chatting intimately with them, and patting men affectionately on the shoulder.

TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

MR. GILL AND THE FUTURE OF AGRICULTURE.

The annual public meeting, convened by Blackrock Technical Instruction Committee, took place in the Town Hall last night, when Mr. T. P. Gill, Secretary of the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction, gave an address, and distributed the prizes to the students of the Technical Institute. The Chairman of the Committee, Mr. William Field, presided.

The Principal, Mr. Alexander Hill, in the sixteenth yearly report, said that the Committee were happy to state that during the past session the high standard of efficiency reached in former years had been fully maintained, and that both the staff and the pupils had worked loyally together in promoting the objects for which the school was established in the district.

The Chairman moved to adopt the report. He said that there were increased numbers—170 night and 40 day school pupils—and that the report showed the progressive development and notable success of their students. Government parsimony had seriously retarded national improvement in Ireland.

The Vice-Chairman (Mr. Thomas Hayes) seconded the motion. He spoke of the unfailing unanimity of the Committee's work, and hoped that it was an indication of what would result from the great Conference now in existence.

Mr. T. P. Gill, in his address, said that the gathering was illustrative of the constructive nation-building which had been going on in Ireland for the past seventeen years, in which Irishmen, the most divided from one another in other things, found they could combine. They had nothing like that community of interest and of effort in any other quarter of the educational field in Ireland. Technical and agricultural education had a profound significance for the future—far deeper than was obvious. Unfortunately, since the war the expenditure on their regular schemes of agricultural and technical education had not been increased, but had been reduced. He was confident, however, that that would now be changed. Not only was there the need, in the normal sense, for an increase, but the conditions of the war had produced new demands and new opportunities. The war conditions had forced forward an advance in agricultural policy, which it would have taken 20 years to have reached otherwise. The increased tillage of the present year, and that which was to follow in the next few years under the Corn Production Act, meant new developments in manufacturing industry, trade, commerce, transit, and natural resources of every kind. The country should prepare itself for that. Ireland was going to be more than ever the chief food supplier of herself and of Great Britain.

The report was adopted.

Mr. J. P. M'Cabe, Chairman of the Urban District Council, proposed:—

That this meeting of ratepayers of Blackrock Urban District heartily endorses the claims put forward by the Technical Congress for largely increased financial aid from the public funds for the purposes of technical education in Ireland. The members of the Blackrock Urban District Council, as our representatives, have recognised the claim of technical education by imposing the maximum rate allowed by law for this purpose, and we therefore feel justified in urging our Parliamentary representatives to claim from the Imperial Exchequer the additional annual grant, which is absolutely necessary for the development of technical, agricultural, and industrial education in this country.

Lady Dockrell seconded the resolution. She thought it an anomaly that at a time like this the funds for technical education should be reduced. Mr. Gill had not told them where they were to get additional money, or whether the Department was kicking for it.

Mr. M. Hearn, M.P., and the Rev. C. O'N. Lawless, C.C., supported the motion, which was unanimously adopted.

Fashionable Intelligence

Viscount Gough has arrived at Lough Cutra Castle from London.

Viscount Iveagh, who has been staying at Elveden Hall, is now in London.

Lord and Lady Castletown, who have been spending the summer and autumn at Doneraile, their place in County Cork, intend to reside at Queenstown for the winter.

Lord Inchcape, who has been spending a few days in Belfast, has now arrived in London.

Viscountess Gormanston has returned to Gormanston Castle from Tipperary.

Sir Gilbert Greenall has returned to Mount Coote from London.

A marriage is arranged, and will shortly take place, between William Henry, eldest son of William James Smith, Esq., Villa Veija, Algeciras, and Mary Claire, second daughter of Alfred Darley, D.L., Carysfort, Blackrock, Co. Dublin, and Kippure, Co. Wicklow.

All Miss Eykyn-Ward's Classes arranged for Thursday, October 11th, and Monday, October 15th, will be held at Mills's Hall, 8 Merrion row, not at 120 Lower Baggot street, as previously stated.

Messrs. Switzer's have just received another consignment of Irish Lace Croches at unusually attractive prices.

Fashions Newest Vogue, Fur-trimmed Suits, artistic shades of Soft Wool Velours, charming new styles, luxurious collars, useful pockets.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 George's st.

Smartest Models for Autumn in Frocks, Costumes, and Furs—McAsey, 53 Dawson street.

Do not consider everyone extravagant who is well dressed. Get the habit of sending to Dartry Dye Works, Dartry road, Dublin.

Amongst the visitors staying at the Grand Hotel, Malahide, during the week were the following:—Miss Dora Isabel Massey, Mrs. Shapland Tandy, Mr. John T. Ray, Mrs. John T. Ray, Mr. Edward E. Lysaght, Mrs. Edward E. Lysaght, child, and nurse; Mrs. Aylward O'Conor; Captain Aylward O'Conor, and Mrs. O'Conor, Master Roderick O'Conor, Miss Emily Mulvany, Miss Nellie Mulvany, Mr. Edmund Wilson Barnes, Mrs. Edmund Wilson Barnes and maid, Miss Louisa Pagan, Mr. John B. Falconer, the Rev. Newport J. D. White and Mrs. White, Mr. William O'Meara, Miss Sabina M. O'Meara, Mrs. M. Ross, Miss Aileen Ross, Miss Gertrude Murphy, Captain T. J. M. Murray and Mrs Murray, Mr. Edward J. O'Brien Croker, Mr. John Chaloner Smith, Mrs. John Chaloner Smith, Captain F. T. O'Meagher, Mrs. F. T. O'Meagher, Mrs. Curtis, Mrs. Ludlow Beamish, Mr. C. J. Gregg, Mrs. C. J. Gregg, Mrs. Emily Shirley and child, Miss Lucy Carre.

Arrivals at Kingstown per Royal Mail steamers.—Major Armstrong, Captain F. J. L. Davies, Captain Guinness, Captain Maurice O'Connell, Captain and Mrs. Meredith, Captain Palmer, Captain Dillon, Colonel Taylor, Captain Thornhill, Colonel Brady, Captain W. Lumley, R.A.M.C.; Captain Da Costa, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Daniel, Mr. and Mrs. Glascott, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Cuffe, Mrs. and Miss Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Moran, Miss E. M. Wilson, Mrs. Deck, Miss G. S. Reigh, Mrs. V. de Gernon, Mrs. de Courcy Wheeler, A. O. Williams, Howard Thirkell, Rev. A. B. Fisher, C.F.; J. Franklin, Rev. J. Andrews, C.F.; Rev. W. B. Lloyd, N. R. H. Pennington.

New Autumn and Winter Models in pre-war Materials. Furs Remodelled. New Furs at lowest prices.—Coyle, 24 Grafton street.

Smart Overcoat in new check tweed for 5½ guineas, at Slyne and Co.'s, 71 Grafton street.

Greenslade and Co.'s Costumes. Moderately priced. Perfectly tailored.—32 Wicklow street.

Carpets Shaken and Relaid.—Millar and Beatty, Ltd., 13 and 14 Grafton st.

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Late of Ogilvy's.—Davis and Co., 35 Exchequer street—Warm Material Blouses (our own make) with high collars, outsizes stocked. Prices moderate. Fur Alterations. Furs Remodelled to Latest Styles—Scully, Costumier and Furrier, 47 Dawson st.

THE AMERICAN MARKETS.

STOCKS CLOSED WEAK.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, TUESDAY.

The Stock market opened with a resumption of pressure against speculative issues, due to dividend and war tax rumours, but a partial recovery took place in the afternoon; then everything fell on bear pressure, and the market closed weak. Government Bonds steady; Railroad Bonds easy.

Money steady. Sterling exchange steady. Silver commercial bars ½c. down.

CLOSING PRICES.

Eng. Parity.	Stocks	Closing Bid Prices Mon.	Tues.
101⅛	U.S. 2% Funded	98¾	98¾
99⅛	Atch., Top., Santa Fe	95½	94¾
97⅛	Do. Preferred	93	92½
90⅜	Do. New 4% Gen. Mt.	86	85¾
99⅛	Do. 4% Con Bds	95	94¾
61⅝	Baltimore and Ohio	59⅛	58⅝
68⅝	Do. Preferred	65	65
156⅛	Canadian Pacific	149⅞	149⅞
53⅛	Chic., Mil., & St. Paul	50	50
97⅛	Do. Preferred	94⅛	92⅞
137⅝	Chic. & N.W. Pref.	*150	*150
25⅛	Chic., Rock I. & Pacific	Nom.	24¾
6⅛	Denver & Rio Grande	6¼	6⅛
13½	Do. Preferred	15	13
20⅛	Erie Railroad	19⅞	19⅞
30⅛	Do. 1st Preferred	29	29¾
55⅛	Do. Lien Bonds	53⅛	53
104⅛	Illinois Central	99⅞	99¾
125⅛	Louisville & Nashville	119⅞	119⅞
4⅝	Miss'ri, Kan., & Texas	4⅝	4¾
38⅛	Do. 2nd Mt. 4% G Bs	37	37
29⅛	Missouri Pacific (New)	28⅞	28⅛
76⅝	N.Y.Ctl.&Hudson R.	73	73
112⅛	Norfolk&Westn Com.	107⅞	107⅞
123⅛	Do. 4% Con. Bds.	120	120
21	Ontario & Western	20	20
53½	Pennsylvania Shares	51⅝	51½
83⅛	Reading Shares	80⅝	80⅛
44⅛	Do. 1st Preferred	*42	*42
93⅛	Do. 4% Mort.	89⅛	89¼
28⅛	Southern Railway	27	26⅞
64⅛	Do. Preferred	61⅝	60⅞
94⅛	Southern Pacific	90⅞	90⅛
131⅛	Union Pacific	126⅝	125⅝
81⅛	Do. Preferred	77⅞	77⅞
10⅛	Wabash New	9⅝	9⅝
48	Do. Preferred A	45⅞	45⅝
—	New York Cons. Gas	—	—
110⅛	U.S. Steel Common	105⅞	105
129⅛	Do. Preferred	115⅞	115⅞
—	Silver Commerc'l Bars	90⅞	89⅝

* asked. † ex div. ‡ New Stock.

The London parity prices are quoted at the current rate of exchange, but no account is taken of the cost of insurance.

	Monday.	Tuesday.
Call Money	3 bid 3¼ ask	3 bid 3¼ ask
Ex. on London, 60 days' sight	4.71.50	4.71.50
Cable Transfers	4.76.45	4.76.45
Ex. on Paris, sight	5.79	5.78¼
Ex. on Berlin, sight	—	—
Cotton, Middling, Upland	27.50	27.93
Petroleum, Refined, in cases	15.50	15.50
Petroleum, Standard, White	10.25	10.25
Petroleum, Pipe Line Certs	—	—
Spirits of Turpentine	50¼	50¼
Lard, Prime Western Steam	25.27½	24.60
Tallow, Special	10½	16⅛
Sugar Centrifugal (duty paid)	—	—
Corn, New Western	—	—
Wheat, Red Winter	228	205
Do. Hard Winter f.o.b. Gulf	228	228
Coffee, Rio, No. 7	8¼	8¼
Flour, Spring Wheat, Clears to arrive	10.90 11.90	10.90 11.90
Iron, No. 2 Northern Foundry	—	—
Tin, Straits	61.50 asked	61.25
Copper, Electr'tic, 4th quar	—	—
Do. Sept. & later delivery	—	—
Freight, Grain, steamers to Liverpool, per bushel	63.50	63.50
Freight, Grain, steamers to London, per bushel	28 29	28 29
Freight, Cotton, to Liverpool	5	5
Chicago Corn, Dec.	—	—
PHILADELPHIA.		
Petroleum, Standard White	10.25	10.25
NEW ORLEANS.		
Cotton, Middling	28.50	28.63
SAVANNAH.		
Spirits of Turpentine	47	47

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, TUESDAY.

WHEAT—Spot quiet. CORN—Spot easy.

COTTON advanced on forecast of heavy frost and reported better bids by Southern spinners, and declined on heavy realising. The closing was steady. Spot quiet, but firm, 45 points dearer.

	Nov.	Jan.
To-day	27.00	28.43
Previous day	26.80	28.31

Receipts—Atlantic, 15,000; Gulf, 38,000; Pacific, 5,000. Exports—Britain, 41,000; Continent, 9,000; Japan, 5,000.

COTTON OIL weak, 50 to 86 points lower. Spot, 18.00; December, 17.15.

PETROLEUM—Refined steady. TALLOW easy. LARD—Cash weak, 67½ points cheaper. FLOUR and SUGAR steady. TIN steady. IRON nominal. COPPER dull.

CHICAGO, TUESDAY.

WHEAT—Spot dull and nominal.

Wheat—No. 2 red winter, spot, nominal; No. 2 hard winter, spot, nominal.

CORN opened easy, ½c. to 1c. down, and further receded under the bearish monthly Bureau report issued yesterday, more favourable weather, peace talk, and larger country offerings. Liquidation was in progress, and commission houses were selling, the market closing easy at 1½c. to 1⅝c. decline.

	Dec.	Jan.	May.
To-day	118⅝	114¾	114⅝
Previous day	120	115⅝	11⅝

OATS easy, ⅝c. to ⅞c. lower.

	Dec.	Jan.	May.
To-day	59	—	60⅞
Previous day	59⅞	—	61⅞

PROVISIONS opened steady, but soon eased off on lower hog and maize prices, liquidation, and selling by commission houses. Fears of Government control also had a depressing effect, and the market closed weak, with lard 75 to 62½, pork 175 to 142½ and ribs 12½ to 62½ points down.

LARD—

	Oct.	Nov.	Jan.
To-day	24.97½	24.30	23.32½
Previous day	24.80	24.95	23.95

PORK—

	Oct.	Jan.
To-day	44.25	43.47½
Previous day	46.00	46.90

RIBS—

	Oct.	Jan.
To-day	23.60	24.20
Previous day	23.12½	24.82½

BACON easy, 12½ points cheaper. Receipts of hogs at 15 principal Western centres, including Chicago, since March 1st, total 13,496,000, against 13,562,000 last season. To-morrow's receipts of hogs at Chicago are estimated at 18,000.

HOGS easy, with light 20 down to unchanged, and heavy sorts 5 points lower.

	Short Rib Sides Dry-salted, loose.		HOGS. Light.		Heavy.	
To-day	28.00	28.37½	17.50	19.15	17.75	19.20
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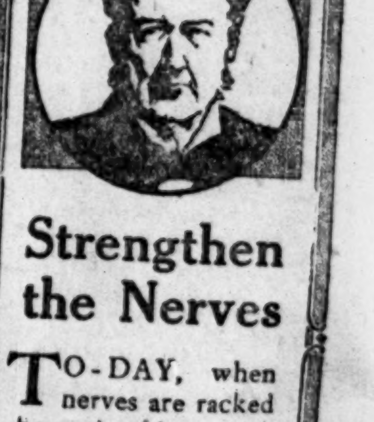

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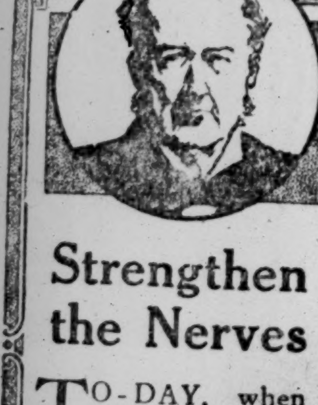

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FINANCIAL NEWS

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FURTHER "BOOM" IN WHISKEY SHARES. DUNLOP RUBBERS RECOVER ON BONUS SHARES STATEMENT.

DUBLIN, TUESDAY EVENING.

There was a further increase in interest being taken in "specialities" on the Dublin Stock Exchange to-day, and important speculative changes of a favourable nature were added to those that have recently been recorded. The rush for "Whiskey" shares was general, and rapidly increasing prices were easily realised with special buoyancy in all directions. The market in Dunlop Rubber Ord., which had recently been rather dull, rallied nearly a couple of shillings a share on the statement in a London morning paper that the company intend to capitalise £500,000 of the reserve fund, and give it as a bonus to the holders of the Ord. shares. Capitalising reserve funds and presenting the shares to existing holders only adds sentimentally and not intrinsically to the value. It certainly does not add to the earning power or guarantee a proportionate increase in the dividend distributed. At the present stage of the labour question throughout the world the capitalisation of reserves may be an economic more than an actual financial advantage to the shareholders interested.

Dublin Distillers Ord. opened 1s. better at 56s. jumped to 58s., and later to 59s. 3d., while just at the close 60s. and 61s. was paid and bid. The Pref. rose 1/16 to 6 7/16. Dunville shares ten days ago were about 8½, and to-day 13⅛ was ineffectually bid. Bushmills Distillery Ord. rose another 10s. to 32s., and the Pref. a few pence to 12s. 10½d., 13s. Guinness Ord. were unchanged at 29, and the Pref. at 11⅛. The demand for Castlebellingham and Drogheda shares was continued, and the Ord. rose another 10s. 9d. to 91s. 3d. buyers with practically no shares on offer. The Pref. were called 6½ to 7½ unofficially.

BANK OF IRELAND RATE, 5 PER CENT. ALLOWANCE ON DEPOSITS, 2½ PER CENT.

	Previous Price.	Business Done For Cash.	Nominal Quotation Bid.	Ask'd
Government Funds, etc.				
War Loan 4½ % Stock	100⅛	100⅛	...	...
5% War Loan, 1929-47	93	93	...	...
Do. Trans by Deed	94⅞	93	...	...
2¾% (I. Land Act)	154	54⅛	...	...
3½% India Stock	65¼	65¼	...	...
3% India, 1948	55	55⅞	...	...
Corporation Stocks and Debentures, Etc.				
*Dublin Corpn 3½ %	62½	...	...	63
**Kingstown Urban Dist 3½% Stock, 1934-64	...	60	...	...
Banks.				
Bank of Ireland	150½	†190	...	...
Hibernian Bank	4½	4½	...	...
National Bank	16¼	†16¼	...	...
Breweries and Distilleries.				
Castlebellingham Ord.	80/6	91/3	...	...
Dublin Distillers Ord.	55/	58/ 58/ 59/3	60/	61/
Dublin Distillers 6% Pf.	6¼	6 7/16	...	...
Dunville and Co.	...	...	13⅛	...
Guinness Ord.	29	29	...	...
Guinness 6% Cum Pref.	11⅛	11⅛	...	...
Steam and Canal.				
Grand Canal Ord.	...	...	...	80
Telegraphs and Telephones.				
Marconi's Wireless Tel.	67/	66/6	...	...
Marconi Wireless 7%	156 6	56/9	...	...
Railways and Tramways.				
Dublin Sth. E. Ord.	12¼	12¼	...	...
G.S. & West. (I.) Orig.	74	74¼	...	...
Dub. Sth. East. Pref.	48	149	...	...
Mid. Gt. West. 5%	77½	77¼	...	...
Gt. Sth. & West.4% Guar.	75	174½	...	...
Gt. Sth. & West. (I.) 4% Deb.	80½	180	...	...
Provincial Trams 5% Deb.	8¼	9	...	...
Miscellaneous.				
Parent Tyre Def.	55/9	155/3	...	...
Boland's 6% Cum. Pref.	17	...	...	7¼
Crowe, Wilson Pref.	97/6	97/6	...	...
Pim Brothers Ord.	5⅛	5⅛	...	...
Walpole Cum. Pref.	...	5	...	...
Bradford Dyers Ord.	31/4½	31/3 31/4½	...	...
Calico Printers Ord.	13/3*	13/1½ 13/3	...	...
Calico Printers 6% Pre	15/3*	15/3	...	...
Coats Ord.	6½	6½	...	...
Coats 20% Pref. Ord.	35	35¼	...	...
English Sew. Cotton Ord	52/6	52/6	...	...
Lever Bros. 6% "C" Pf.	20/7½	20/6	...	...
White, Tomkins, etc., Ord	†23/6	†23/3	...	...
Burke (E. and J.) Ord.	75/6	177/6	...	...
Burke 6% Debs.	8¼	8¼	...	...

* Ex-dividend; † exceptional amount at special price. ** Free of stamp duty. Business commences at 12 o'clock noon. Stock Exchange closed on Saturdays.

OTHER BUSINESS DONE.

Coventry Premier, Ltd., Pref. 6/9
Dunlop Rubber Co. Ord. 93/-,93/6,93/9
Exchequer 6 p.c. Bonds, 1920, Reg. 101⅛
Marconi International Marine Comm. Co. 50/9
Marconi Wireless Tele. Co. of America......22/3,22/-
Marconi Wireless Tele. Co. of Canada, 10/6,10/7½,10/9
Old Bushmills Distillery Ord. 30/-,31/-,32/-
Do. Pref. 12/10½,13/-

BONUS FOR DUNLOP SHAREHOLDERS.

We believe (says the *Daily Mail*) that a proposal will shortly be announced by the directors of the Dunlop Rubber Company for capitalising £500,000 of the reserve fund. That means, of course, that the reserve fund, which stood in the last accounts at as high a figure as £800,000, will be reduced to £300,000, and that the issued share capital of £1,800,000 will be increased to £2,300,000 by the issue of bonus shares. There is reason to believe that the scheme has the support of the financial groups interested in the company, who control the Ordinary Shares and who are largely interested in the Preference Shares. Foremost among these groups must be the Beecham Trust and its associates, who, it will be remembered, less than two months ago, offered a sum exceeding £4,000,000 to obtain control of the million £1 Ordinary Shares of the company. More particulars of the new scheme for capitalising the reserve are not yet available, but there is little doubt that it will follow the recent precedent of the Sunbeam and other schemes, and will involve an issue of 500,000 Ordinary Shares, to be distributed as a bonus among the holders of the existing million. The scheme will thus have advantages and disadvantages similar to those of the Sunbeam scheme. The claim is made that the security of the Preference Shares will be improved by having the additional amount of £500,000 capital permanently placed behind them.

ACTIVE DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following were among the "markings" on 'Change yesterday:—

3½ per cent. War Loan—85⅛, [illegible].
4½ per cent. War Loan—100⅛, [illegible].
5 per cent. War Loan—94⅞, [illegible], 5, [illegible].
4 per cent. War Loan—99¾, 100, [illegible], 99⅞, 100⅛.
B.S. Arms—54/3, 5/-, 4/9.
Brit. Amer. Tob.—101/-, 9d., 2/-, 1/3, 1/-, 3d., 6d., 100/9.
Brit. Argen. Meat—21/4½, 6d., 4½d., 3d., 7½d., 6d., 4½d.
Brit. Oil and Cake—29/9, 30/-, 29/10½, 9d., 30/-, 29/7½, 6d.
Curtis and Harvey, x.d.—44/9, 3/3, 4/-, 3/6.
Courtaulds—6⅛, [illegible].
Dunlop Ord.—92/6, 4/1½, 3/9, 1½d., 2/6, 3/9, 1½d., 6d., 9d., 1/3 (ex bar.), 2/6, 3/9.
Dunlop "B" Pref.—20/6.
Maypole Def.—25/3, 5/-, 4/9, 6d.
Niger—45/-, 2½d.
Nobel's—73/9, 4/-, 3d., 6d., 5/3, 4/9, 5/-, 3d., 6d., 5/-, 4/6, 8/4½, 4/9, 3d.
Parent Tyre Def.—55/6.
Smith Argen. x.d.—25/7½.
B.S. Africa Co.—16/-, 15/10½, 16/1½, 15/9½, 16/0½, 15/3 (ex bar.), 10½d., 11½d., 16/1½ (closing prices 15/9, 16/3).
B.N.B. Rubber Trust—19/-, 4½d.
Do. Options (Extended)—2/7½, 2/11½, 3/3, 3/0½.
Rubber Trust—31/4½, 6d., 9d., 4½d., 7½d., 6d.
Do. Options—15/1½, 14/6.
Highlands Rubber—65/1½, 4/9, 4/-, 4½d., 5/-, 4/6.
Linggi Rubber—30/6, 9d., 8½d., 6½d., 9½d., 10½d.
Armstrong, x.d.—39/10½, 7½d., 4½d.
Vickers—39/-, 6d.
Workington Iron—25/6, 6/-.
Burmah Oil—6 23-64, [illegible].
Mexican Eagle—62/9, 7½d., 9d., 3/1½, 2/10½.
Shell—106/10½, 8/-, 3/9 (ex bar.), 5/- (ex bar.), 6/3, 8/1½, 7/9½, 7/- (ex bar.), 8/1½, 7/3, 6d., 10½d., 9½d., 7½d., 6d., 7/-, 8/1½.
Marconi Ord.—66/6.

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Marconi American—21/6, 10½d., 9d., 6d., 7½d., 2/-, 1/6, 7½d., 9d., 10½d., 2/-.
Marconi Canada—11/-, 3d., 4½d., 11/-, 1½d.
Duff Development—14/3, 14/-.
City Deep—70/3½, 1/3, 2/6, 1/3, 70/7½ (ex bar.), 2/3, 1/3, 1/-, 3d., 10½d., 70/7½, 1/-, 6½d., 6d., 3d.
Government Areas—70/6, 10½d., 3d., 6d., 5½d., 70/11½, 7½d., 1/9, 10½d., 3d.
Johannes Consols—20/3, 1½d., 3d., 20/-, 9d., 20/-, 3d., 19/10½, 20/0½, 20/-, 3d., 1½d.
Burmah Corp.—80/-, 1½d., 7½d., 1/-, 80/7½, 1/10½.
Assoc. Portland Cement—73/9, 1/3, 3/9.
Do. Pref.—5⅞, 7, [illegible].
Borax Def.—41/1½, 40/9, 2/-, 1/6, 2/1½, 6d., 3d.
Brunner Mond—86/10½, 3/9 (ex bar.), 5/-, 6/10½.
Coats—6⅞, [illegible].
Darracq—33/9, 6.
Eley Bros.—44/-.
Gramaphone—24/10½, 6d., 5/3, 4/9.
Kynoch—37/-, 6/10½, 7/3, 7/-.
Rover—37/-.
Sunbeam—89/10½.
Tuck, Raphael Pref.—63/9, 4/4½, 5/3, 9d.
Van Den Berghs—47/6, 8/9.
Bwana McKubwa—5/11, 6/-, 5/10½, 6/-, 2½d., 3d., 5/11½, 10½d., 7½d. (ex bar.), 6/3, 4½d., 3d., 6/-, 4/6 (ex bar.), 6/5, 5/-, 9d., 7½d., 10½d.
East Rand—5/6 (ex bar.), 7/3, 4½d., 6/9.
Falcon—18/7½, 9d., 19/3.
New Kleinfontein—24/6, 5/-, 4/3, 6d., 3d., 7½d.
Shamva—39/4½, 8/9, 8/-, 5½d., 3d.
Tanganyika—72/6 (ex bar.).
North Broken Hill—87/6, 9d., 10½d., 6d., 8/-.
Russo-Asiatic—73/1½, 7½d., 4/-, 3/1½, 9d., 2/6.
Marconi Inter. (Further Issue)—40/-, 36/3 (ex bar.)
Do. (Fully Paid)—50/3½, 49/8½.
Russian 5 per cent. Loan—96½, ¾, 9.
Do. 4½ per cent. Loan—60½, 59.

LONDON STOCK MARKETS CHEERFUL.

GILT-EDGED ISSUES FIRM.

(FROM OUR FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, TUESDAY.

The Stock Exchange remains in the best of spirits, and, though the volume of business to-day was not large, being rather below that recorded yesterday, the supply of stock was limited in practically all departments, with the result that quotations kept on the up grade in a fairly pronounced fashion. Among gilt-edged issues a forward tendency again predominated. The 5 p.c. War Loan advanced ⅛ to 94⅞, and Consols, at 55 7/16, were 1/16 to the good. The 4 p.c. Loan, however, lost the turn at 100 1/16, and the 3½ p.c. Loan cancelled yesterday's rise of ⅛ at 85⅛. Among Miscellaneous gilt-edged securities, Indian Government Stocks showed to advantage, the 3½ p.c. following yesterday's lead of the Threes, and closing ½ better at 66. The latter did not vary. Irish Land Loans were firm at their recent improvement. The Colonial group was steady. There was moderate support for 6 p.c. Exchequer Bonds around 101⅛.

ALLIED BONDS QUIETLY STEADY.

In the Foreign market, Allied Bonds were generally without activity. Russian Fives made good a point of yesterday's fall at 69⅛. The Fours did not vary, and French Fives were merely steady, without change, around 79⅛. The Japanese group showed no material variation on the session. Among South Americans, Peruvians were supported, and the Debs. rose ½ to 56. Uruguay 3½ p.c. were good around 71⅛. Brazilians held firm, but Mexican Gold Fives weakened a point to 66.

HOME RAILS IMPROVE.

In the Home Railway market there was a number of moderate improvements. Among the Trunk and Trade Stocks improvements of ⅛ to ½ were numerous. As regards Passenger issues, South-Eastern Def. was a good point, advancing ⅝ to 29⅛. Scotch Stocks were hard.

AMERICANS RATHER FIRMER.

In the American department, quotations showed several narrow gains on adjustment to parities at the outset, but these were seldom maintained to the finish. Erie 1st Pref., at 34⅛, was finally 1⅛ down.

CANADIANS AND MEXICANS.

Canadian Pacifics concluded with a fall of ½ at 165⅛. There were some gains of ½ among Grand Trunks, and the 1st Pref. and 4 p.c. Guaranteed Stock each advanced a full point. Mexican Rails were inactive. Several Argentine Rails eased off ½. Bahia Blanca Guar. Fours fell 1 to 63, but there was a gain of 1 at 51 in Central Uruguays. Leopoldinas were weaker.

INDUSTRIALS IRREGULAR.

The Miscellaneous Market was spotty, with some show of cheerfulness in the Marconi group. The American Shares were 1/- higher at 22/-, and the Canadian Shares rose 6d. to 11/-. Hudson's Bays were supported among Land Shares, rising ⅛ to 7⅛, but Nigers were sold down that fraction to 2⅛ on the dividend mystery. Breweries showed irregularity. Allsopp Pref. settled back 1 to 32, but Bass, Ratcliffe Pref., at 79, was a point better. Nobels remained cheerful among Explosives, rising 1/16 to 3⅛. National Explosives, at 34/-, were 1/6 down. There was little doing among Bank Shares. South American Tractions were spottily good. Mexico Trams Bonds, at 45⅛, were a point better. British-American Tobaccos were firmer at the finish at 5 1/16. There was not a great deal doing among Shipping descriptions, but P. and O. Def. were up 1 to 320⅛. The Armament group recorded several narrow mixed changes. Cammell Lairds rose ¼, and Low Moors, at 15/3, continued their advance. In the Supply group Eastmans lost the turn at 9/3.

MINING MARKET CHEERFUL.

The general tone of the Mining Market was cheerful, and specialities were good in several directions. Kaffirs were spottily firm, attention still centring upon the Finance and Far Eastern groups. Rhodesians were steady, and Diamonds held their recent improvement. There was not a great deal doing in the base metal group, but Tintos scored a fresh advance. The price of copper was unaltered. Tin fell 5/- per ton. A better tone characterised Russian Shares. The Silver group was steady.

RUBBER SHARES CHEERFUL.

The price of rubber was a fraction lower at 2/8 per lb. In the Share Market there was a more cheerful tone, influenced by the favourable war news. Ampat were a feature, and showed strength at 7/9 bid. Bekoh were dealt in around 5/4½. Bukit Selangor showed a rise at 4/10, but Eastern Sumatra were a shade lower at 3/1½. Java Investment improved to 32/6, and K.M.S. were taken at 35/-. Linggi were harder at 30/10½, as were London Asiatic at 9/6. Mendaris showed a rise of 3d. at 31/9, and Moopiy Valley were better at 43/3. Pelepah Valley were changing hands around 4/6. In the Borneo section B.N.B. Trust Options attracted attention around 3/1½. Bode reacted ½d. to 3/3 sellers, while Membakut were firm at 25/9, as were Kimanis at 28/9. Sablas were taken at 26/-, and Sapong advanced to 35/7½.

OIL SHARES STEADY.

The Oil Share Market was steady, with a firm undertone. Anglo-Egyptian "B" Shares rose to 26/7½, but in the Russian group North Caucasians eased to 22/3.

DIVIDENDS, REPORTS, AND MEETINGS.

THOMAS SMITH'S STAMPING WORKS.—Interim of 4/- per share, free of tax.

VAL DE TRAVERS ASPHALTE.—An interim dividend of 3d. per share, less tax, declared.

EUROPEAN TELEGRAPH CO.—An interim dividend at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, free of tax, declared.

CENTRAL URUGUAY (EASTERN EXTENSION) RAILWAY.—Proposed balance dividend of 7/9 per share, less tax, on the Ord. Share capital, making, with the interim dividend paid in April last, 10/- per share.

CENTRAL URUGUAY (NORTHERN EXTENSION) RAILWAY.—Proposed to pay a balance dividend of 6/- per share, less tax, making, with the interim dividend paid in April last, 10/- per share for the whole year, equal to 5 per cent.

NIGER DIVIDEND MYSTERY.—There seems to be some misunderstanding over the dividend of the important Niger Company. A distribution of 1/3, payable October 31st, has been recorded by the officials of the Stock Exchange (says the *Daily Mail*), but a jobber has been informed at the offices of the company that it has not declared a dividend. Amid the uncertainty the price has been put down from 2⅛ to 2, and jobbers are refusing to quote a price.

CLOSING PRICES.

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols	55⅛, ¼+ ⅛	French Loan	79⅛, ½
War Ln. 3½%	85⅛, ¼ - ⅛	Irish Land 3pc.	67⅛, 8¼
do. 4½%	100⅛, ¼+ ⅛	Do. 2¾	53¼, 54¼
do. 5%	94⅞, 5+ ⅛	India 3½ p.c.	65⅛, 6¼+ ½
do. 4%	99¾, 100⅛	do. 3 p.c.	55⅛, 6¼

FOREIGN BONDS.

Arg'nt'ne,1886	93-5	Jap.4½pc. 1st	86-7
do. 5p.c., '07	83-4	do. 4½ 2nd	86-7
Brazil4pc,'89	55-60	do.4 p.c.,1905	83-4
do. Funding	74-6	do.New 5p.c.	92-3
do5pc,1914	80-1	Mex. 5 p.c., '99	65-7-1
Chinese5'96	92-4	Peruvian Corp.	5⅛, 6¼
do. 4½pc,'98	81-3	do. Pref	23⅛, 6¼
do.5 pc.1912	83-5	do. Deb	55⅛, 6¼+ ½
Egyptian Un	83-4	Portuguese 3pc.	57-9
German 3 p.c.	49	Russian 4 p.c.	52-4
Greek 5 p.c.	81-3	do.5pc, 1906	68-70+1
Hungarian 4 p.c.	42	Spanish 4p.c.	101 3
Italian Rentes	55-60	U'guay 3½p.c	71-72+ ½

HOME RAILS.

Brighton A	72⅛, 3⅛	L. & N.-W	92⅛, 3⅛+ ½
Caledonian	46⅛, 7⅛	do. 4% Pf	92-4
do. Pf. Ord	33⅛, 5	L. & S.-W	81-84
do. Def. Ord	5⅛, 6+ ½	do. Def	23¼, 4⅛+ ½
Cent. Lon. Dl.	29-33	do New 5 pc. Pf	92-4
Chatham	5⅛, 6¼	Metropolitan	23⅛, 4
do. Pref	79-80-1	do. 5p.c. Pf	76-7
do. 2nd Pref	24-6+1	do. District	16 17
Gt. Cent'l Df	6⅛, 7⅛	Midland Def.	57⅛, 8⅛+ ½
Gt. Eastern	41⅛, 3	N. Brit. Def.	13⅛, 14
Gt. N. Pref.	42-3	N. East Con.	98⅛, 9+ ½
do. Def.	38⅛, 7+ ½	do. Pf	92-4
Gt. Western	81⅛, 2⅛	Sth. East. Df.	29, ⅛+ ½
Hull&Barns'y	41⅛, 2⅛	do. 5 Pref.	79-81
Lanca. & Yks.	84-5+ ½	Taff Vale	53⅛, 4⅛

CANADIAN AND FOREIGN RAILS.

Can. Pacific	165-4- ½	Brazil 6 pc. Pt.	10-12
Grand Trunk	9⅛, ⅛+ ½	do. 4½ Mort.	28-33
do. 4p.c. Guar.	33⅛, 4⅛+1	B. Ayres Gt. S.	73-4- ½
do. 1st Pref.	57-60+1	B. Ayres Pac.	39-41
do. 2nd Pref.	46-8	B. Ayres & Wt.	70-2
do. 3rd Pref.	22⅛, 3+ ½	CenArg'tine	59-60- ½
do. 4 p.c. Deb.	69-71	Cent. Urugy	50-52+1
do. 5 p.c. Sy. nts.	97-99	Entre Rios	21-3
Antofa'ta Pf.	56-8	do. 6 p.c. Pref	54-6
do. Def.	126-8	Mex. Rails	19-20
Argen. G. W.	50-2	d. 8 p.c. Pf	43-7
Armavir To'pe	51-3	do. 2pc. Pf.	3½, 3⅛
Bahia Blanca	62-4-1	Mex. S. Debs.	30-5
do. 4½ 2nd Db.	58-60	San Paulo	160-2
Brazil Rail	4⅛, 5⅛	Un. Havana	53-4

BREWERIES.

Allsopp Pf. Ord.	15-17	Guinness	272-82
do. 5% Pref.	31-3-1	do. Pref.	110-112
B'tholomay Pf.4½	3⅛, 4⅛	St. Louis Ord.	1⅛, ⅛
Bass, Rat. Pref.	78-80+1	South African	1⅛, ⅛

LAND SHARES.

Aboukir	¾, 1	Hudson's Bay	7, ¼+ ½
Arg'nt. N'th'n	⅛, ¼	Nigers	2⅛, ⅛- ½
do. South	1⅛, ¼	Pekin Synd	[illegible]
Brt. N. Borneo, 14/9, 15/9		do. Shansi	[illegible]
Forestal	[illegible]		

TELEGRAPHS.

A-Amer. Def	22, ¼	Marconi Can.	10/6, 11/6+ /6
Marconi	3⅛, ⅛	do. Amer.	21/6, 22/6+1/0
do. Pref.	[illegible]	do. Spanish	11/6, 12/0

TEA SHARES.

Empire (£1) ...40/3+3d Jokai 17-½

MISCELLANEOUS.

Armstrong	40/0,41/0	J. Brown	35/6,36/6
A. P'd Cmt.	3⅛, ⅛	do. (15/pd.)	26/0,27/0
do. Pref.	6⅛, 7	KentCoalCon.	10/6,11/6
do. 2nd Deb	76 7	Kynoch	[illegible]
B.S.A.	2⅛, ⅛	Lipton	[illegible]
Bovril Ord.	[illegible]	do. Pref.	15/0,16 0
do. Def.	[illegible]	Lyons	4 ¼
B. & A. Meat	21/3,22/3	Maypole Def	1⅛, ⅛
British Oil Ck.	29/3,30/3	National Ex.	33/6,34/6 - 1/6
do. 5½% Pf.	[illegible]	Nobel	3⅛, ⅛
Cammell Laird	6⅛, 7+ ¼	Otis Steel	10/3
Cargo Fleet	23/0,24/0	Pahang	11/6, 12/6
Coats	6⅛, 7	Parent Tyre Or.	1⅛, ⅛
Courtaulds	6⅛, 7	do. Def.	2⅛, ⅛
Court Line	33/6,4/6	Peace Parties	1⅛, ⅛
Cunard Ord.	3⅛, ⅛	P. & O. Def.	318-23+1
Curtis & Harvey	2⅛, ⅛	Projectiles(1/), 16/3,17/3 - /3	
Dunlop Rub.	4⅛, ⅛	Royal Mail Or.	112-15
Eastmans	9/0, 9/6 - /3	Salt Union(New)	1⅛, ⅛
Eley Bros.	2⅛, ⅛	do. Pref.	5⅛, 6⅛
Fr'a'r&Ch'lm'rs	[illegible]	Spratt's	1⅛, ⅛
Furness Withy	2⅛, ⅛	S.Durham St.	27/6, 28/0+ /3
Harrod's	1⅛, ⅛	U. St'm N. Zeal.	2⅛, 3⅛
Home & Col. Pf.	4⅛, ⅛	Vickers	38/6,39/6
do. 15% Pf.	2⅛, ⅛	Weard'le o.p.o.	24/0,26/
do. 15% Cm. Or.	2⅛, ⅛	Work'n Iron	25/6,26/6

MINING SHARES.

Apex	8/3+3d	Jupiter	4/6+6d
Ballaghat	3/-6d	Ldn. Rhodesia	6/-+6d
Brit. Bkn. Hl.	40/6-3d	Mt. Lyell	26/-+3d
Bkn. Hl North	57/9+3d	Mt. Oxido	9/6+6d
Con. Mines Sel.	28/-+3d	Min. C. Canada	17/6+6d
City and Sub	1⅛- 1/16	N. Anantapur Pf.	1⅛- 1/16
Cam. & Motor	13/-+3/6	Nundydrg	28/-3d
C'b't Tas'te Fr.	8/3+3d	Rio Tinto	68+⅛
Dolcoath	10/6+3d	Randf. Cent.	11/6+3d
Falcon	19/-+6d	Siamese Tin	2⅛- ⅛
Geduld	2+ ⅛	Tanganyika	3⅛- 1/16
Geevor	18/6-3d	Vereeniging	14/-+6d
Hampden	29/3+6d	Zambesi	27/6+6d
Johans. Invest.	20/3+3d		

RUBBER SHARES.

Anglo-Dutch	34/3+3d	Malacca	£5 15/6+6d
Anglo-Malay	15/4½-4½d	Malayalam	38/6-3d
Bah Lias	41/3-6d	M'chestr N.B.	35/7½+4½d
Bantardawa	26/1½-6d	Mooply Valley	43/3+1/-
Bukit Cloh	5/6+1½d	Nordanal	30/-+9d
Carey Un	48/1½-1½d	Pegoh	65/-1/-
Cheviot	7/2-1d	Rubber Trust	31/6
Dolok	3/9+1½d	Sedenak	51/-+6d
Glenbervie	67/-6d	Selaba	60/-4½d
Golden Hope	82/6+2/6	Selangor	37/-3d
Highlands	64/6+3d	Seletar	26/-4½d
Java Amal.	36/9+3d	Seramban	48/3-1/-
Java Para	35/-9d	Sialang	77/6+1/3
Johore Rub.	39/3-9d	Sungei Kapar	12/6+6d
Kasintoo	40/-3d	Sungei Salak	80/6-6d
Kepitigalla	22/7½-4½d	Tali Ayer	41/9-9d
Kombok	6/1½-1½d	Tandjong Mim.	40/3+3d
Linggi	30/10½+4½d	Tebrau	76/10½-2/1½
Lok Kawi	25/3-9d	Telogoredjo	52/6+3d
Lon. Asiatic	9/6+1½d	U.S. Betong	75/7½-1/1½
Lumut	49/-6d	Vallambrosa	25/3+3d

OIL SHARES.

Anglo-Egypt B.	26/7½+6d	Royal Dutch	49⅛+⅛
Burmah	6 23/64- ⅛	Rum. Consol.	12/1½-3d
Kern River	9/9-3d	Shell	108/1½-3d
Mexican Eagle	61/6-9d	Spies	10/6-1½d
Do. Pref.	62/10½-1½d		

* Price at Birmingham 37/7½. † Ex div.

INSURANCE SHARES.

SALES IN LONDON:—

Atlas 9 8½
Guardian 98/-
Marine 55½
Phœnix ....7⅛ ¼
Royal Exchange 228
Sun ....12½ ½

SALES IN LIVERPOOL:—

Liverpool and London and Globe ....23½ ⅛
London Guarantee and Accident ....x.d. 20½
Phœnix 144/- 7⅛
Royal 30½
Sea 26½
State 80/-

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

Bank Rate (changed April 5) .... 5 p.c.

While general conditions in Lombard street remained easy, funds in the Loan Market were rather more lendable, the usual charge for overnight advances being 4 p.c., though the rate slackened to 3½ p.c. at the close. There was no change in the quotation for weekly fixtures at 4½ p.c. The slight hardening of loan rates did not affect discount quotations, which were easy, with good competition still reported for short paper. There was no alteration in rates for second-hand Treasury paper, though short-dated bills were inclined to droop.

Bank Rate (Discount) changed April 5, 1917 .... 5%

60 days fine	4⅛ 4½%	Trade	5	5½%
3 months „	4½%	„	5	5½%
4 months „	4½%	„	5	5½%
6 months „	4½%	„	5	5½%

Loans to bill brokers day-to-day .... 3½ 4 %
do. do. for a week 4½%
Stock Exchange fortnightly loans 4½%
Deposit allowance: Banks .... 4 %
do. Discount houses at call .... 4 %
do. do. at notice 4⅛%

The New York exchange remained unchanged.

The Silver Market continued to weaken, the quotation for spot bars marking a fresh fall of 1/16d. to 45⅛d. per oz.

On 'Change rates on Paris, Switzerland, Italy, Portugal, Denmark, and Norway moved in favour of this country. Dutch, Russian, Spanish, and Swedish currencies improved in value.

The following foreign exchange rates were current:—Paris cables, 27.54 to 27.55; Amsterdam, 10.78 to 11.03; Italy, 36.83 to 36.90; Madrid, 22.35 to 22.45; Petrograd, 305 to 308; Berne, 22.30 to 22.38; Rio, 90 days' bills, 13 1/16d.

BIRMINGHAM CYCLE SHARE MARKET STRONG.

Business improving; prices still strong. Rovers risen smartly, Singers still advancing, Triumphs hard, Darracqs better. Crossley Motors declined to 25/6.

	s.	d.		s.	d.
Belsize	23	3	Rudges	41	3
Components	24	0	Singers	53	6
Do. Def.	24	6	Stars	19	0
Do. Pref.	25	9	Sunbeam	89	3
Darracq	34	0	Swifts	24	3
Dennis	35	9	Triumphs	44	0
Enfields	33	9	Parent	24	6
Humbers	18	0	Do. Def.	55	9
Do. Pref.	17	3	Dunlop	92	6
Premiers	1	1½	Do. Pref.	20	0
Rolls Royce	57	6	Small Arms	53	0
Rovers	58	0	Vulcan	60	0

MANCHESTER STOCK EXCHANGE.

Textiles were steady in tone, but activity did not create much change in values. Closing prices:—

Bleachers	19/6 19/9	Coats Ord.	6½ 6½
Do. Pref.	18/9 19/-	Sewing Cot.	51/- 51/6
Bradford Dyrs.	31/- 31/3	Do. Pref.	18/3 18/6
Do. Pref.	17/9 18/3	Fine Spinners	30/3 30/9
"Stubbers"	7/- 7/3	Do. Pref.	18/6 18/9
Calico Printrs.	13/3 13/6	Eng. Velvet	25/9 26/-
Do. Pref.	15/3 15/6	Do. Pref.	17/6 18/-

BELFAST STOCK EXCHANGE

BUSINESS DONE:—

Mexican Eagle Preference 63/-
Mexican Eagle Ordinary 62/6
Belfast Banking Co., Ltd., Old £10 16/6
Ulster Bank, Ltd. 10⅛
Provincial Bank, Ltd. 23
London City and Midland 7
Belfast and Co. Down Railway Ordinary 102
Belfast Water Commissioners, 3 p.c. 57⅛
Coats (J. and P.) Ordinary 6¾
Dunville and Co. 13 12⅛
Guinness (Arthur), Son, and Co. 29
Mitchell and Co., of Belfast, 5½ p.c. Cum. Pf. ...7⅛
Old Bushmills Distillery Ord. 28/- 30/- 31/6
Do. 5 per cent. Non-Cum. Pref. 13/- 12/10½
Milligan (John) and Co. 38/6
White, Tomkins, and Courage Ord. 23/7½, 23/9
Birmingham Small Arms 54/6
Dublin Distillers £3 1/-

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

At an extraordinary general meeting of the United Dairies, Ltd., in London yesterday afternoon, the company was empowered to raise £3,000,000 new capital, increasing the capital to £4,000,000. The Chairman (Mr. Butler) said this gigantic scheme was, in effect, an amalgamation of the London retail dairy trade, to whose members it owed its inception, as they were unable to carry on under present conditions. The scheme would wipe out the present overlapping in delivery, and, he said, would benefit the public as well as the dairy people. He believed a better quality of milk would be supplied under the new company. The scheme was approved by the shareholders.

Anglo-Rumanian Petroleum Co.—In a circular to the shareholders the directors state that it is not possible to submit accounts for the past year, as in November and December last the company's wells, plant, machinery, etc., in Rumania were destroyed by the British military mission to prevent their falling into the hands of the enemy. A claim for the cost of reinstating the company's properties, amounting to £208,825, has been lodged with the British Government.

TRAFFIC RECEIPTS.

Last week:—Great Indian Peninsular, Rs.335,800 inc. August 4th:—Costa Rica, £2,054 inc. August 11th:—Costa Rica, £2,677 dec.

MARKET REPORTS.

GRAIN.

DUBLIN CORN EXCHANGE, Tuesday, October 9.

The weather is still very unsettled, and of a wintry character. What remains of the harvest to be yet got in is in a very hazardous position. There seems to be a good deal of grain lost, too, by the heating in stacks, and otherwise recently by too hastily putting up, and also in many cases by the delay in threshing grain which ought to have been treated by that process much earlier. With regard to the character of samples coming on our market, however, the bulk of those are of fairly good description, but few really come up to a high standard. In the present unsettled state of affairs business is quiet and of small proportions, and only strictly choice wheat so far has been negotiable, and prices for same are around 40/- to 40/10 per barrel. Black oats have been making 23/- to 23/6, and whites 24/- to 24/6, whilst malting barley has been figuring at from 30/9 to 31/4, and grinding sorts from 28/- to 29/6. The position of things leaves very little encouragement for local merchants or middlemen to handle grain at all. For foreign cereals, markets throughout, both afloat and arrived, remain much as before, with very sparse offerings in any centre, and prices within Control. Locally there has been no wheat or maize to quote or deal with released by Commission, but we understand that some winter wheat will be offered in distribution in Dublin in the near future; no prices are available, however, yet for same. Our Corn Exchange to-day was poorly attended, and the proceedings left little to feature.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES (BALTIC), Tuesday.—WHEAT—Trade remains in abeyance owing to absence of official offers. MAIZE sparingly offered, and firmly held. Parcels of white South African on passage officially quoted 74/-, other white kinds 74/-, and other 68/- per 480 lbs. BARLEY—Imported descriptions quoted 65/6 per 448 lbs., and No. 4 Canadian Western 48/3 per 400 lbs. OATS firm. Parcels of No. 2 white clipped American 56 lbs. on passage quoted 59/- per 320 lbs.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.—C.i.f. parcels of wheat and maize ruled steady at late prices. WHEAT on the spot was in fair request, and late rates were firmly maintained. MAIZE—Spot parcels were again scarce, and nominal, with practically no supplies available. FLOUR was steady. BEANS getting into smaller compass, and held for higher rates. PEAS and BARLEY showed no material alteration. OATS firm, and occasionally the turn dearer. OATMEAL quiet, and buyers in some cases had the advantage in the matter of price. WHEAT and MAIZE CARGOES neglected. In wheat parcels, No. 2 red winter afloat sold at 73/-; No. 3, 71/6, and No. 2 to Manchester, No. 2 red winter at 71/6, and No. 3 and 3 soft winter at 71/3 per qr. Maize parcels continued inactive through lack of offers. No. 4 Canada Western barley sold at 73/6 per 400lbs.

NEWCASTLE, October 9.—There was little business doing, and prices were unchanged. Local red wheat was 73/6 per quarter; Northern spring, 80/-; English oats, 44/3; foreign oats, 65/- to 66/-; barley, 62/9 to 64/-; beans, 105/- to 110/- per quarter; G.B. flour, 44/3 at the mill.

CATTLE.

BIRMINGHAM, October 9.—The Amended Order has not yet been received from the Food Controller regarding the sale of pigs and cattle; and this market continues to suffer. To-day the supply was quite inadequate, and buyers in attendance had to go without. The fixed price of 23/9 per score for bacon pigs, cutters, and sows prevailed.

SALFORD, Tuesday.—Rather larger supply of cattle, but quality showed no improvement. Prices, however, had a much firmer tendency, a few light-weight Hereford heifers and polled making 14½d. Best weight shorthorn heifers 14d., second heifers and bullocks 13d. to 13½d., young cows and bulls 10½d. to 13½d., and rough sorts 9d. to 10d. per lb. Best quality sheep and lambs were scarce and dearer, with light-weight Scotch making 15d. to 16d., heavies 14½d. to 15d., Irish 14½d. to 15½d., and ewes 13d. to 14d. per lb. Lambs made from 15d. to 16½d. per lb. Only 164 pigs on offer at Manchester, and these sold at 23/9 per score. Numbers in the market—Cattle, 1,702; dairy cows, 183; sheep and lambs, 11,404.

LEEDS, October 9.—Fair show of cattle, and trade good, making rather more money. Rather small quantity of sheep, and trade slow. Beef realised 1/2½ to 1/2¾ per lb.; mutton made 1/4 per lb., and lamb, 1/3 per lb. Very few pigs on offer; good attendance of buyers.

LEVER'S PALM NUT CAKE AND MEAL—Splendid for Cattle, Sheep, Milch Cows, and Pigs. Agent—W. Rourke, 36 North Circular road, Dublin.—(Advt.)

BASIC SLAG.—We have stocks of Alberts, A. 1, and Leeds Makes, analyses from 20 per cent. to 45 per cent. Wholesale quotations to merchants on application.—WILLIAM HOOPER and CO., LTD., 11 BURGH QUAY, DUBLIN.—(Advt.)

LINSEED CAKE and Meal, Cotton Cake, Fattening Nuts, Feeding Flaxseed. Wholesale quotations to merchants on application.—WILLIAM HOOPER and CO., LTD., 11 BURGH QUAY, DUBLIN.—(Advt.)

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.—BACON—There was no relief to the extreme scarcity of bacon here, the Government still retaining pretty well anything on the spot for Army and Navy requirements, and buyers find it impossible to fill their orders for civilian needs in Irish or fancy cuts of bacon, for which full maximum prices were still bidding, and the strong tone still prevailed. Cable advices from Chicago showed prices of both live hogs and speculative products irregular, but the situation was unaffected thereby. Irish, Danish, and Canadian sides were again difficult to find at the extreme Government limits. Shoulders were very scarce, pic-nics being about the only selection available at late prices. HAMS strong in consequence of lack of supplies, and prices more or less nominal. LARD—Trade at a standstill, with controlled figures still bidding for both prime steam and American refined, but sellers do not offer. CHEESE steady, with a fair demand at 1/2 per lb. for imported, delivered to retailers. BUTTER scarce, with supplies confined to Irish at f.o.b. price, plus expenses. EGGS firm and dearer for both Irish and States, owing to limited offerings. Compound fully maintained late rates.

DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE, October 9.—Offerings of all descriptions of seasonable vegetables continue extremely large, and prices irregular. With regard to tomatoes, however, there has been a smart recovery in price for best, which are making up to 9/- and 9/6 per doz. lbs., whereas wasty sorts are from 6d. to 8d. per lb. There is a superabundance of cabbage coming in owing to farmers drawing on second crop after potatoes, and this morning the sale was wretchedly poor; in fact, the terms obtainable were almost outside of reason for York cabbage, which averaged from 4/- to 6/- and 15/- per load, and a few extra heavy farmers' loads at 18/6, and difficult to sell at these rates. In the fruit section there is not much change from last day. Apples continue to run at from 1/6 to 3/6 per tray and float, and from 16/- to 38/- per barrel; pears are 4/6 to 6/6 per float, and some special qualities up to 10/6 per half bushel, and 4/- to 7/6 per tray, whilst ordinary descriptions run at 30/- to 35/- per barrel. Damsons are making from 6/- to 7/6 per float; glass grown melons, 1/6 to 2/6 each; box grapes from 7d. to 10d. per lb., and best purple qualities 1/- to 1/6 per lb. Reverting to the vegetable department, there is a quantity of savoy cabbage already appearing, but it is somewhat early, and cannot be realised to advantage; in fact, rates are miserably cheap. Cauliflowers, too, in great abundance, best qualities selling from 1/6 to 2/6 per doz., and others from 8d. to 1/2 per doz.; best blanc celery from 3/- to 4/6 per bunch; other sorts, especially pink, 1/3 to 3/- per bunch; cucumbers from 2/- to 3/6 per doz.; vegetable marrows from 1/6 to 3/- per doz.; white turnips, 4d. to 6d. and 8d. per bundle; swedes, 2/9 to 3/2 per cwt.; carrots went at from 1/3 to 1/6 per doz. bunches, and 4/6 to 6/- per cwt.; parsnips, 1/6 to 1/9 per doz. bunches, and 3/6 to 5/- per cwt.; sprouts, 1/6 to 2/- per float; leeks, 6d. to 9d. per bunch; thyme, 6d. to 1/- per doz.; spinach, 4d. to 6d. per float; beetroot, 4d. to 6d. per bunch; lettuce, 3d. to 6d. per doz.; parsley, 4d. to 8d. per float.

HALSTON STREET POULTRY AND GAME, Oct. 9.—Supplies continue very good, and trade all round is well maintained at current terms, which work out on much the same lines as last week, except that for really heavy table turkeys terms are on the dearer side. In other particulars there is a balancing compensation in values, inasmuch as birds are coming in more satisfactory and plumper condition. The market is kept regularly sold up, and there are no surplus carry-overs in anything. Quotations:—Pheasants, prime cock birds, 3/6 each; ditto, hens, 3/- each; mediums, 5/6 a brace; prime young grouse, 3/- each; old, 2/-; young partridge, 2/6; old, 1/- each; good conditioned well-handled hares, 2/6 to 3/- each; prime wild duck, 2/6 each; woodcock, 1/- each; teal, 1/-; widgeon, 6d. each; snipe, 6d.; green plover, 5d. and 6d.; grey, 8d.; curlew, 2d.; quail, 6d. each; prime run of cock turkeys, 8/- to 10/- each; extra full-breasted birds up to 13/6; prime hen turkeys, 5/6 to 6/6; extra heavy, 7/- to 9/- each; large corn-fattened geese, 7/- to 9/- each; extra large plump, 12/- each; stubble geese, dead, 5/6 to 6/6 each; large young stores, 5/-; prime fat superior run of ducks, 3/6 to 4/- each; prime large young ordinary fat, 3/- each; seconds, 2/6; good stores, 1/9 each; old ducks, 1/- to 1/6 each; best crammed fowl, 4/6 to 5/6 each; best large house-finished chickens, 3/- to 3/6 each; seconds, 2/6 each; thirds, 1/9 to 2/- each; prime quality March pullets, 3/6 to 4/6 each; extra large fat hens, 3/6 to 4/6 each; best ordinary, 2/6 to 3/- each; seconds, 2/- each; prime fresh trapped rabbits, 1/4 each; fresh shot ditto, 1/- to 1/2 each; overhandled rabbits sold badly.

DUBLIN POTATO, October 9.—Trade is in a very unsatisfactory state for potatoes, and there are reasons to believe that Control terms are not in every case being strictly complied with. It is an open secret that prices in a considerable volume of business in the city are more around 5/- and 5/6 per cwt. than the stipulated official rate, viz., 6/- to 6/6 per cwt. At all events, there is very little stuff coming in up to standard, either with regard to size or quality, and an almost infinitesimal proportion to the ton of damaged or tainted potatoes appears to be an excuse with many sellers for putting out stuff at cheaper rates. If other evidences were required to confirm the fact that there is some underselling it is only necessary to observe that in many shops potatoes are making really good sorts at 9d. and 10d. a stone; this they could scarcely do if they conformed to the stipulated rate of £6 7s. 6d. per ton. It would appear, too, that a good number of plotholders are clearing a quantity of stuff in parcels of 1 cwt. or thereabouts at prices within 4/6 to 5/- per cwt. It is beyond dispute also that there are numerous farmers in the County Dublin and elsewhere who would be exceedingly glad to take £4 10s., or even £3 10s., a ton to clear some of their stocks, as taint and disease is becoming much more prevalent, and making things hazardous in the present unsettled state of the weather. With regard to British Queens, too, these should have been cleared by the middle or end of September, but considerable quantities still remain on farmers' hands in County Dublin, and unless they can be realised at official prices, and, before bad keepers, are likely to make serious loss to growers.

DUBLIN FISH, October 9.—The supply of fish was practically confined to 326 boxes of mixed catches from two steam trawlers. The arrivals otherwise from either local or country sources were of a very trifling nature. There were about 22 boxes of herrings from Dingle boats, and only 5 cleeves of lobsters from all sources. Prices were fairly satisfactory all round. Best live lobsters averaged 17/6 to 22/6 and 25/- per 13; seconds, 10/- to 15/- per 13, and small, etc., from 5/- to 7/6 per lot of 13; best turbots were 10/- to 20/- apiece, and small ditto, 3/- to 8/- each; large plaice, 6/- and 8/- per 4; mediums, 3/- to 5/- per 4, and 12/- to 15/- per box; best sole, 30/- to 40/-, and 45/- per 9 pairs; mediums, 20/- to 25/-, and slips from 12/- to 15/- per 9 pairs; brill from 2/- to 4/6 each; ling, 2/- to 3/- each; conger eels, 2/- to 3/6 each; hake, 1/6 to 4/- each; large gurnard, 2/- to 2/6 each; herrings, 25/- to 32/6 per box. Box fish averaged:—Plaice, 40/- and 60/- per half-box; whitings, 35/- to 45/- and 60/-; coddling, 45/- to 70/-; hake, 40/- to 76/-; pollock, 25/- to 40/-; ling, 20/- to 30/-; ray, 15/- to 25/-; whiting from 20/- to 40/-, and 30/- per half-box.

BILLINGSGATE FISH, October 9.—Supply liberal; demand fair. Soles, 3/-; slips, 2/9; red mullet, 3/-; dories, 11d. per lb.; turbot, 24/-; brill, 25/-; halibut, 27/-; lemon soles, 24/-; whitches, 22/-; English plaice, 23/-; Aberdeen, 26/-; hake, 10/6; skate, 10/-; cod, 11/-; whiting, 8/-; gurnet, 6/-; haddocks, 10/- per stone; live eels, 30/-; dead, 27/- per draft; lobsters, 20/- to 60/- per score; crabs, 2/- to 5/6 each; mackerel, 7/- per score.

LONDON BORO' AND SPITALFIELDS POTATO, October 9.—Supplies continue on a light scale, and prices are maintained, though trade moved quietly. Quotations:—Lincolns, £7 to £7 5s.; Kents, £7; Bedfords, £7; Essex, £6 10s. to £7, and Blacklands, £6 10s. to £7 per ton.

SMITHFIELD DEAD MEAT (London Central Markets), Tuesday.—Produce arriving here up to 1 p.m. for market or cold store weighed 797 tons. Of the deliveries 427 tons were British-bred, and 370 tons imported from the Colonies and foreign countries, made up as follows:—

	Beef and Veal Tons.	Mutton and Lamb Tons.	Pork and Bacon. Tons.	Poultry and Game and Sundries. Tons.
British-bred	234	132	15	46
Imported	232	114	11	13
Total	466	246	26	59

Market limited. Average of the ruling wholesale prices of first quality beef, veal, mutton, lamb, and pork quoted at per stone of 8lbs.—London and country killed beef and veal—English long sides 7/11, Irish long sides 8/- (112/- per cwt.), Scotch long sides 8/4, do. short sides 9/-; veal 7/4. Imported beef and veal—South American chilled hindquarters 7/6, do. fore 6/2; North American chilled hindquarters 6/10, do. fore 5/10; South African frozen hindquarters 7/4, do. fore 5/9; Dutch hindquarters 4/6, do. fore 3/6. London and country killed mutton, lamb, and pork—English mutton 8/8, do. lamb 8/8; Irish mutton 8/8 (121/4 per cwt.), do. lamb 8/8 (121/4 per cwt.); Scotch mutton 8/8, do. lamb 8/8; pork 9/6 (133/- per cwt.). Imported mutton, lamb, and pork—Australian lamb 7/-; New Zealand lamb 7/-; South American mutton 7/8, do. lamb 7/8; Dutch mutton 7/2, frozen pork 8/6.

MANCHESTER, Tuesday.—Market scantily supplied. BACON short and wanted. Irish and Danish nominal; American, Cumberland cut, 157/-; Canadian, 163/-. HAMS—Short cuts, 137/-; skinless, 145/-; extras, 150/-. LARD scarce; no American offering. CHEESE—Short supply, and at full controlled rates. EGGS—Irish and Danish cleared on arrival. Irish hen, 31/6-32/-; Danish, 16 lbs., 30/6-31/-; do. 13 lbs., 31/-31/6.

MANCHESTER BUTTER, Tuesday.—The shortage was again very acutely felt. Irish selections were maintained at the full official maximum level of prices, and Danish was quoted at around 250/- per cwt.

LITTLE GREEN, October 9.—Owing to the drain on supplies of Irish creams and also fine qualities of farmers' butter for shipment to England there is somewhat of a crux in the home trade, and the position is strained indeed, with scarcely enough produce to satisfy a third of wants. From Denmark this week advices say that owing to strong demand from country districts there is no surplus for shipment, whilst prices tend further to advance in insular trade. For eggs our market has further sharply advanced since Friday, but supplies are quite equal to the occasion so far as present trade goes. Quotations:—Choice creams, bulk, 2/1 per lb., same 2/0½; rolls, 2/3½ per lb.; finest farmers' cools, 1/11½ and 2/0½ per lb.; good flavoured mediums, 1/11 to 1/11½; others, 1/10 to 1/10½ per lb., but offerings of all classes light. Best fine eggs, 28/- to 30/-; choice fresh farmers', 31/-, and extra selected, in a retail way, 32/- per 120; seconds, smalls, etc., around 27/- per 120.

CORK BUTTER, October 9.—Firsts, 225/-; seconds, 219/-; fresh butter, 220/- per cwt.

PRODUCE.

LONDON, Tuesday.—SUGAR remains unchanged. TEA—At public sales 14,500 packages Ceylon were offered, and encountered a brisk demand at full prices, "free" teas being dearer. Pekoe sold 1/- to 1/5, broken 1/- to 1/6, orange Pekoe 1/- to 1/3, broken 1/3 to 5/10, and Pekoe Souchong 1/- per lb. COCOA—Small supplies were submitted in auction, comprising 5,976 bags. A good demand prevailed, and full to dearer prices were realised. COFFEE—The terminal market ruled steady, but quiet. Few supplies in auction met a steady demand at firm prices. SPICE—Pepper firm. Cloves very firm, and sparingly offered. TAPIOCA firm. RICE steady. BEANS and PEAS unaltered. HEMP—East India kinds in request at full rates. Chinese firm, and sparingly offered. New Zealand in fair request at fixed prices. Manila receipts for last week totalled 20,000 bales. SHELLAC—Market steady but quiet. COPRA steady, quiet. TALLOW—Market remains firm, most descriptions being at maximum levels. [illegible] RUBBER—Market dull, and plantation crepe spot and October sold 2/8, November-December quoted 2/8½, spot smoked ribbed sheet sold 2/6½ to 2/8; fine hard Para spot 3/3, Caucho ball spot sellers 1/8 per lb. Para spot [illegible] the spot 2/7½. OILS—Linseed quiet; spot quoted £56 10/- per ton net naked. Official maximum prices: Rape quiet; crude spot £66, refined £71, edible £71 10/- per ton net naked. Cotton steady; crude spot £60, refined £67, edible £75. American refined £65, refined soap £57, [illegible] per ton net naked. Turpentine easier, and a large business transacted. American spirit on spot quoted 73/6 per cwt. Petroleum very firm. American refined, water white, 1/8½ per gallon. American spirit on spot 1/8½, water white 1/9½ per gallon. OIL-SEEDS—Linseed firm, with few offers; London Calcutta afloat quoted £29 15/-, Bombay ordinary, prompt, £30, small grain do. £29 10/- per ton net. Rapeseed quiet; bold Ferozepore, prompt, £29 10/-; yellow Guzerat do. £30; Toria, prompt buyers, £29 15/-, and brown Cawnpore quoted £28 per ton net. Cottonseed quiet; London-Egyptian f.a.q. afloat quoted £16 10/- per ton.

LIVERPOOL AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE, Tuesday.—To-day's Farm Produce Market has ruled very irregular, and the difficulties and perplexities of the potato control is materially checking supplies, farmers being quite unable to make headway until the conflicting orders can be brought more into line. Only two tons were at market, and King Edwards, as well as Up-to-Dates, were quoted 6/9 per cwt. Vegetables were a very fair supply, and sold readily at easy prices. Carrots, 4/6 to 5/-; Swedes, 3/6 to 4/- per cwt.; bunch turnips, 8d. to 10d.; parsley, 8d. to 9d. per dozen bunches; cabbages, 1/6 to 2/6; cauliflowers, 2/- to 2/6; celery, 3/- to 3/6; cucumber, 4/6 to 5/-; lettuce, 9d. to 10d. per dozen; kidney beans and scarlet runners, 1/- to 1/4 per peck. Hay—Poor supply at 7/5. Straw, baled oat, 2/9 to 3/-; baled wheat, 2/4 to 2/9 per cwt.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR, October 9.—Market unchanged.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

COPPER market remains quiet at recent currencies. Standard cash and three months quoted £110 to £110 10/-, electro £125 to £131, best selected £119 to £123, and strong sheets £151. TIN—100 tons sold in the East on the basis of £245 c.i.f. being easier. The above decline adversely affected the market here at first, but offers were fairly well absorbed as business progressed, and values on balance left off only 5/- lower since last Monday's close. Standard cash changed hands at £244 5/- to £244 10/-, three months moving at £242 5/- to £242 15/-, and since done at £242 10/-. Cash was finally quoted at £244 10/-, three months at £243 10/-; settlement price, £244 10/-. Sales about 200 tons. LEAD quiet. Foreign £30 10/- to £29 10/- as to position. SPELTER—G.O.B. £54 to £50, as to position; all per ton.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LIVERPOOL COTTON (Closing), Tuesday.—Sales 3,000 bales. Futures closed 20 to 34 points advance from yesterday's close. January, 19.36d.; February, 19.21d.; March, 19.05d.; April, 18.91d.; May, 18.76d.

HAY AND STRAW.

SMITHFIELD, October 9.—Much smaller supplies of hay and straw were marketed here this morning—in fact arrivals were little better than half of Friday's offerings. Trade was active for prime dry stuff all round, but damp and inferior descriptions difficult enough to cash. Prime clean clover hay made a smart advance, say 6d. to 1/- per cwt.; choice strong old meadow, too, was 3d. to 6d. better. Straw also favoured sellers. Quotations:—Choice strong first, second, and third crop hay, 7/6; middling, 7/3 to 7/4; prime strong old meadow, 6/9 to 6/6 and 7/-; other sorts, 4/- to 5/10 and 6/-; best clean clover hay, 5/6 to 6/10, and occasionally 7/- for choice sorts, 4/- to 5/6 per cwt. Straw averaged 2/3 to 3/-, and in some cases 3/3 and 3/6 per cwt.

LONDON, October 9.—Market remains very firm on scarcity of supplies, with an active demand for available lots. Quotations:—Meadow hay ranges from 125/- to 150/-; best clover, 150/-; fair to good, 130/- to 145/-; inferior, 125/- to 130/-; mixtures and sainfoin, 130/- to 150/- per ton; and straw, 45/- to 58/- per load, delivered.

TRADE REPORT.

MANCHESTER, October 9.—There are unmistakable indications of considerable unsatisfied wants in piece goods, and, though many bids are still unworkable, the actual turnover is not inconsiderable in view of the reduced productive capacity. Grey shirtings are difficult to work with both India and China, but finishing goods are moving steadily from these markets. Progress is also mentioned from South America. Spinners hold out for higher rates; demand in this section is moderate, but no pressure to sell.

DUBLIN CITY SESSIONS.

The Right Hon. the Recorder of Dublin continued the trial of prisoners yesterday in the Courthouse, Green street.

SOLDIER'S FORGERY.

William Fox pleaded guilty to having fraudulently obtained certain articles of jewellery in a shop on one of the quays by means of forging and uttering two cheques, one for £5 10/-, and the other for £2 19/-. The cheques were abstracted from a cheque-book of a man connected with the cattle market. Mary Smith and Martha Brady pleaded not guilty to a charge of aiding and abetting Fox in the forging and uttering of the cheques. They stated that they had nothing to do with the felony, and only accompanied Fox into the shop.

Inspector Clifford, D.M.P., told the Recorder that Fox, who was in khaki, had been at the front, and was home on furlough.

Fox was put back to await sentence, and the two women were discharged. Later in the day the Recorder discharged Fox also, on the understanding that he should again go to the front with his regiment.

BOY HOUSE-BREAKER.

Edward Fuller, about 13 years of age, was tried for having broken and entered the dwelling-house of Mr. Serjeant Sullivan, North Circular road, some time previous to September 20.

Serjeant Sullivan said that everything of value had been removed from the house before he and his family went away. So far as he could see, nothing had been taken by the house-breaker, but considerable damage had been done to doors and articles of furniture, which were locked up. Everything had been hacked open by means of the hatchet.

The jury found the prisoner guilty, and he was put back to await sentence. It appeared that he had a previous conviction for house-breaking.

CONFIDENCE TRICK.

Solomon Harris pleaded guilty to a charge of having feloniously obtained £10 8/- from John Owen Jones by means of a trick. It appeared that the prisoner met Jones in Grafton street on the 20th July last, and asked him the way to Kingsbridge Station. Both went to the Kingsbridge, where they met another man. That other man gave the accused 7/6 to back a horse with. The prisoner went away, and, returning in a few minutes, handed him 27/6. The prisoner then asked the other man for 20/-, saying he could win £5 with it. The prosecutor was thus induced to speculate on some fabulous race, and he gave the accused 35/-. The accused went away, and returned in a short time, saying that he had won £5, and that if the prosecutor would venture another £3 10/- he would win £30. The prosecutor (Jones) parted with the £3 10/-, and from that until August the 8th he had not seen the accused. On the latter date he saw him in College street, and, after a brisk chase, gave him in charge to a constable. Counsel added that the money which Jones so foolishly parted with had been given to him by his employer to pay a fine at the police court, which had been imposed for having sold adulterated milk.

The Recorder put the prisoner back, in order that inquiries might be made about his antecedents. If he found that he was one of a gang of "professional crooks" that had come to this country, the punishment would be severe.

Mr. Joseph O'Connor (instructed by Messrs. Gerald Byrne and Co.) appeared for the accused.

Mr. Dudley White, K.C. (instructed by the Chief Crown Solicitor), conducted the prosecution in all the cases.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

WAR OFFICE, October 9, 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

The undermentioned to be Sec. Lt. for service in the field:—

INFANTRY.

R.D. Fusiliers—Acting Sergeant-Major Frederick Ronald Ransome, 12th September, 1917.

The undermentioned Wt. and N.C.O.'s to be Sec. Lts.:—

INFANTRY.

R. Inniskilling Fusiliers—Quartermaster-Sergeant R. F. Roland, from R.A.M.C.; Squad. Sergeant-Major J. McLean, from Hussars; Sergeant P. McNamara, from Irish Guards.

R.D. Fusiliers—Acting-Sergeant J. O'Neill, from R. Munster Fusiliers.

REGULAR FORCES.
COMMANDS AND STAFF.
HEADQUARTERS OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES AND DEPARTMENTS.

Railway Transport Officer (graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Captain)—Lt. J. Hosford, R.D. Fusiliers, from graded as a Staff Lt., 1st Cl.

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RESERVE UNITS — INFANTRY.

R.I. Rifles—The undermentioned Sec. Lts. to be Lts.:—A. J. Toppin, and to remain seconded; T. G. Mason, and to remain seconded; E. V. Manico; C. M. Waddell, and to remain seconded; L. M. Bayly; R. H. Francis, and to remain seconded; M. A. Mulock-Bentley; J. L. F. Blood, and to remain seconded; W. P. B. Darley; J. Corcoran, and to remain seconded; H. R. Power (since killed in action); C. S. Doyle; F. Williamson, and to remain seconded; G. F. Fry; A. H. Toppin; E. J. McElwee, and to remain seconded; H. J. L. Stewart, and to remain seconded; M. J. V. B. Smyth, and to remain seconded; P. A. I. Crawford; C. R. W. McCammond; E. S. James; J. E. S. Condon.

SERVICE BATTALIONS.

R.I. Rifles—Temp. Sec. Lt. N. C. Dawson, M.C., to be temp. Lt., 2nd April, 1917.

Connaught Rangers—Lt. T. H. M. S. Tuite (Spec. Res.) relinquishes the acting rank of Captain on ceasing to command a company; Lt. T. H. M. S. Tuite (Spec. Res.) to be acting Captain while commanding a company.

R.D. Fusiliers—Temp. Lt. H. C. Poulter to be temp. Captain; temp. Sec. Lt. A. H. Murray (since promoted temp. Captain) relinquishes the acting rank of Captain on ceasing to command a company; temp. Sec. Lt. A. H. Murray (since promoted temp. Captain) to be acting Captain while commanding a company; temp. Sec. Lt. N. Hurst, M.C. (since promoted temp. Captain) relinquishes the acting rank of Captain on ceasing to command a company.

LOCAL RESERVE.

R.I. Rifles—Temp. Sec. Lt. P. N. Lancaster relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health, contracted on active service, and is granted the hon. rank of Sec. Lt.

REGULAR FORCES — ARMY CYCLIST CORPS.

The undermentioned temp. Sec. Lts. to be temp. Lts.:—C. H. Scott, E. D. A. Reed, H. G. Bardrick.

SERVICE BATTALIONS.

R.I. Rifles—G. J. O'Rorke, J. G. Malone, D. Thompson, A. C. Paul, M. H. Gibson, A. A. V. Stewart-Carlile, O. R. Darling.

Leinster R.—H. W. Norman.

R.D. Fusiliers—J. M. Goodbody, J. P. Cox, M.C.; R. Boyd, R. S. Sutcliffe.

Temp. Sec. Lts. to be temp. Lts.:—

R.D. Fusiliers—A. W. Henchy, M.C.; C. M. Molony, R. L. Higgins, M.C.

REGULAR FORCES.

The undermentioned cadets to be temp. Sec. Lts. (attached):—

INFANTRY.

R.I. Fusiliers—L. B. Jump, T. W. Dagg, H. R. Henley, A. L. P. Jeffery, C. J. Lynn-Grant, R. Moore.

The undermentioned temp. Sec. Lts., from attached, unless otherwise stated, are transferred to Service Battalions:—

INFANTRY.

R.I. Rifles—J. M. Clarke (from a Reserve Bn.), R.D. Fusiliers—A. F. Burrowes (from a Res. Bn.), J. P. Quinn (from a Res. Bn.).

REGULAR FORCES — MEMORANDA.

Quartermaster and Hon. Lt. to be hon. Capt.—S. H. Cleall, R.I. Fusiliers.

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Conway and Swan, 79 Dame street.—(Advt.)

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L. J. Watkins, 77 Dame street. (Advt.)

COMING EVENTS.

Y.W.C.A.—The 32nd annual conference will open to-day at 6 Eustace street, Dublin. A public missionary meeting will be held in the evening at 8 o'clock. Particulars of the programme will be found in our advertising columns.

The Irish Women's Suffrage and Local Government Association.—The Committee will meet to-morrow (Thursday), October 11th, at 11.30, in 24 Kildare street.

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LIQUOR TRADE FINANCE.

The Committee of the Liquor Trade Finance Committee (Ireland), 1917, resumed the taking of evidence yesterday at their meeting place, St. Stephen's Green, Dublin. The Right Hon. Mr. Justice Gordon presided, and the following members were present:—H. D. M. Barton, Michael A. Ennis, J.P.; Thomas O'Donnell, M.P.; Sir Stanley Harrington, J.P.; the Right Hon. Robert Thompson, M.P., D.L.; M. F. Headlam, and Sir Maurice Dockrell, D.L. Evidence was given on behalf of the Dundalk and North Louth Licensed Grocers' and Vintners' Association by Mr. W. Russell, and on behalf of the Limerick Licensed Grocers' and Vintners' Association by Mr. Denis O'Donovan. Mr. P. Hughes, Secretary of the Grocers' and Vintners' Assistants' Association, gave evidence on their behalf.

The Chairman announced that the Committee would very shortly complete the evidence, and notified that any persons or associations who thought they could give useful evidence should send a note thereof, by Saturday next, to the Secretary. The Committee then adjourned to 11 o'clock to-day.

PHARMACEUTICAL SOCIETY OF IRELAND.

ANNUAL ELECTIONS.

A Council meeting of the Society was held yesterday at 67 Lower Mount street, Dublin, Mr. James Tate (Belfast) presiding at the beginning.

Also present:—Messrs. J. Michie (Vice-President), G. D. Beggs, J. E. Connor, John Smith, Victor E. Hanna, D. M. Watson, Dr. C. J. B. Dunlop, G. A. M'Lean, Lee, Dr. James A. Walsh, T. M. Moffitt, R. Blair, A. Owen Wells, W. F. Wells, William Hanna, W. J. Hardy, Dr. A. J. Barnes, W. Doig, J. H. Bowden, and Arthur T. Ferrall (Registrar).

The President said that the two years of his occupancy of the chair had now drawn to a close, and he had to thank his colleagues for the kind support which they had consistently given him. He hoped the day would soon come when the practical men of the Empire, as well as official theorists, would have a voice in framing the necessary laws of their profession. Whatever benefits, as pharmacists, they possessed, and they were too few, it was their paramount duty to hold them fast against all-comers. (Hear, hear.) He regretted that his term of office had not seen one of his heart's desires fulfilled—namely, the acquiring of that status in the Army which the professional qualifications of their licentiates command, and to which they were entitled. When doctors, dentists, and veterinarians were granted commissions in the fighting forces why should a like favour not be granted to pharmacists?

The President concluded by proposing Mr. Michie as President for the ensuing year.

Mr. Beggs seconded, and the motion was carried unanimously.

Mr. W. F. Wells moved the election of Mr. J. E. Connor (Newry) as Vice-President.

Mr. Beggs seconded, and, although the name of Mr. Bowden was mentioned in connection with the position, Mr. Connor was eventually elected unanimously.

Mr. Beggs was reappointed Hon. Treasurer, and Messrs. Bowden and Hanna were reappointed auditors. A good deal of routine business was transacted.

PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION.

Violet Kathleen Wilson, Longford, passed with honours. The following also passed:—Louisa Kathleen Smith, Newry; William Henry Roche, Waterford; Albert Francis Browne, Strabane; Hannah M'Grath, Clonmel; James Gatashan, Dublin, and Alexis Joseph FitzGerald, Thurles, equal; Mary Kate Kirwan, Camp, Co. Kerry; Robert Dick, Dromore, Co. Down; Alexander Steede, Belfast.

THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Wednesday, October 10, 1917.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.

LONG VACATION SITTINGS, 1917.—The Right Hon. the Lord Chief Justice (as Long Vacation Judge) will sit to-morrow (Thursday), at 11 o'clock, in King's Bench Court No. 1, to hear such applications for all the divisions as may require to be immediately or promptly heard.

CONSOLIDATED TAXING OFFICE.—Master Kilbride, 11 o'clock—Exparte Taxations—Millington v. Whitley, Henry and Son; Palmer v. Hutchinson, W. J. Stewart; Incorporated Dublin Total Abstinence Society and Companies Act, G. Byrne and Co.; same and same, G. Byrne and Co.

LAND JUDGES.—Receiver Office, Mr. Foot, Examiner, 11 o'clock—Applications for Directions. River Suck Drainage Board v. Kelly, re-entry; Leahy, minors, 11.30 o'clock, Receiver's Account—Reilly v. Reilly, R. T. Holmes.

KING'S BENCH DIVISION.

Before Dr. Woollcombe, Deputy Master. For Friday next, 1.30 o'clock—Donnelly v. Verschoyle and another, on summons, to measure security for costs.

BEFORE THE RIGHT HON. THE RECORDER, 11 o'clock—Crown Cases, continued.

(To-day's Legal Advertisements will be found on Page 1.)

SERVICES AND ANTHEMS.

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.

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Wednesday, October 10.

Morning Service at 10 o'clock. Litany. Hymn 435. Evening Service at 4 o'clock. Note—Special Litany of Intercession. Magnificat, Brewer in E flat. Anthem, "The sorrows of my heart . . O keep my soul" ("Turn Thee unto me"), Boyce, 746 (pt.).

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Decani Week.
Wednesday, October 10.

Morning—King in C. I will arise ....Wood, 295.
Evening—Parrant in G minor.
The Lord is my Shepherd ....Stanford, 656.

St. Mary's Parish Church.—Service of Intercession this morning at 11.30 o'clock. Preacher, Rev. J. O. Gage Dougherty.

St. Andrew's Church, Suffolk street.—Intercession Service to-day at 12 o'clock noon. Address by Rev. Norman L. Roberts.

St. George's Church.—Morning Prayer at 11.30.

St. Aidan's Church.—Harvest Thanksgiving Service at 8.15 p.m. Preacher, Rev. W. Monk Gibbon.

St. Augustine's Church.—Intercession Service 8 p.m.

The Free Church.—Intercession Service 8 p.m.

The Magdalen Chapel.—Solemn Intercession and Holy Communion this morning at 11 o'clock. Offertory for the Red Cross.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin (a Branch of The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.), 35 Molesworth street.—Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m., 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m.; Wednesday (Testimony Meeting), 8 p.m. The Christian Science Reading Room, same address, is open free to the public from 1 to 6 p.m. every week-day except Saturday.

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SALE OF BONDED WHISKEY,
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10 CASES	POWER'S GOLD LABEL, Duty Paid.		
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On TUESDAY, 23rd OCTOBER, 1917,
Hour 2 o'clock, on the Premises.

THE EXECUTORS of the late Mr. William Barker have instructed Auctioneers to sell on the above date the very well known superior Grazing and Tillage Farm, being part of the Lands of Ballriland and Ballybracker, containing together 253 acres 1 rood 5 perches, or thereabouts, held in fee-simple, subject to the annuity of £59 12/4, payable to the Irish Land Commission.

This Farm is situate about 2½ miles from Shillelagh (D), and S.E.R. terminus, a like distance from Carnew, and six miles from Newtownbarry.

The Lands are well laid out in suitable divisions, bounded on one side by River Derry, excellent for grazing, and most productive tillage lands. The residence, commanding a fine view, with southern aspect, is a substantial spacious structure, sound in construction, with large well stocked garden adjoining.

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Further particulars from the Auctioneers, GOREY, or from
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EDWIN HAMMOND, Auctioneer, Carnew.

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SALE OF "WRECK" PROPERTY.
TENDERS will be received until 4 p.m. on the 19th October next for the Sale of
150 BALES OF COTTON,
38 BARRELS OF FAT,
14 BARRELS OF OIL.
Particulars as to location of this property may be secured from the RECEIVER OF WRECK at BALLYCOTTON, County Cork.
Should the Sale not confirm, the Sale is subject to the provisions of a BOARD OF TRADE Licence by the Purchaser.
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M. F. QUINAHAN,
Head Receiver of Wreck,
South Munster District.
Receiver of Wreck Office, Cork,
October, 1917.

MR. HOLDEN'S AUCTION.
NEXT WEDNESDAY, 17TH OCTOBER, 1917, AT 1 O'CLOCK.
FOUR COMPACT COTTAGES,
142, 144, 150, & 152 BOTANIC ROAD
(TO BE SOLD SEPARATELY OR TOGETHER).

Each house is held under Lease for ever at £5 per annum. The accommodation of each house is practically the same, and consists of slate roof, porch, front garden and garden at rear. Each house has a bay window. Nos. 142, 144, and 152 BOTANIC ROAD are each let at £30. No. 150 BOTANIC ROAD is let at £32 per annum.

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THE AUCTIONEER invites the special attention of parties on the look-out for a genuine money-making Licensed Property to this Sale.

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